

## Bible Reading Increasing In Japan, Is Claim

RIO DE JANEIRO (RNS)—Bibles are being distributed and read on an increasing scale in Japan and this is affecting the thinking and outlook of the people, a Japanese Christian said here.

The Rev. Tsunetaro Miyakoda, general secretary of the Japan Bible Society, spoke at the fourth World Council of the United Bible Societies attended by delegates from 32 countries, including the United States.

"It is well known," he said, "that Prince Mikawa, younger brother of Emperor Hirohito, has been studying the Bible very earnestly and has even been lecturing on the Bible at the Tokyo Women's College."

"Businessmen and statesmen are getting their 'daily power' by reading the Bible. Poor farmers are buying Scripture portions in exchange for a handful of rice, or an egg. In fishing villages, the wives of fishermen offer a piece of dried fish for a Gospel portion."

Mr. Miyakoda said "older traditions are still strong" and he was "not optimistic that Japan will be Christianized in the near future."

"But I can say with assurance," he stated, "that amid changing circumstances, the Bible is being read by the Japanese people and is changing their minds."

In an official report presented at earlier sessions of the council held at São Paulo, Mr. Miyakoda cited the conclusion of Arnold Toynbee, noted British historian, that Buddhism is not providing the spiritual bread for which the Japanese hunger. He said the publication of the Kogotai, or colloquial, version of the Bible had given "a great impetus" to Bible-reading in Japan.

The Kogotai Bible, the first translation of the Scriptures into readable spoken Japanese, appeared in 1955.

## Tax Legislation For Parochial Schools Stymied

WASHINGTON, D. C. (RNS)—Legislation which would exempt private and parochial schools and colleges from approximately \$3,000,000 a year in Federal excise taxes appears to be stymied in the Senate Finance Committee and stands little chance of enactment until 1958.

A provision which would extend to private schools the same exemptions now enjoyed by public schools is included in a bill, H. R. 7125, which passed the House June 20.

One of the longest bills in Congressional history—429 pages—the measure makes a number of changes in administration of the Federal excise taxes. It is designed to remove inequities that have developed in the complex structure of levies on all types of goods.

Among the changes is a section which would provide that any school or college qualifying as tax-exempt under provisions of the Internal Revenue law could claim a refund on that

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**School Of Social  
Work At Baylor  
Is Under Study**

DALLAS — (BP) — A gift of \$125,000 to establish a school of social work at Baptist-owned Baylor University was reported at the meeting of the executive board of the Baptist General Convention of Texas here.

A committee appointed by the board will study the needs for the social work program and how to solicit additional funds to support such a school.



100,000 AT GRAHAM RALLY IN STADIUM—NEW YORK—An estimated 100,000 jammed Yankee Stadium here to hear a sermon by Evangelist Billy Graham. Mr. Graham spoke from a platform erected in the middle of the baseball diamond and facing in all directions.—(RNS Photo).

## Late BULLETINS From Around The World

NEW HAVEN, Conn. — The city park commission refused the American Council of Christian Churches, a fundamentalist group, permission to use the New Haven Green for a protest meeting July 30 against the appearance of two clergymen from Czechoslovakia at a World Council of Churches gathering.

PORTLAND, Ore. — Dr. Daniel A. Poling of Philadelphia, president of the World's Christian Endeavor Union, told some 3,000 young church people here that mass evangelism has played a vital part in the onward march of Christianity.

LAKE JUNALUSKA, N. C. — A record of \$1,914,850 was pledged here by Methodist women of nine southeastern states for the denomination's missionary work in 30 countries, including the U. S. for the next year.

DALLAS, Tex. — Use of fire drills in churches and Sunday schools to prevent panic in case of emergency was urged here by Inspector F. F. Dunaway of the Dallas Fire Department.

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Nine church-related colleges, eight of them Roman Catholic, have received grants to provide scholarships for public health service workers to receive special training. The grants were made by the U. S. Public Health Service here.

## New Blue Mountain Library To Be Named For Guytons

The new library of the College has just been completed and is an attractive and functional building. The College now possesses 21,000 volumes in its library, and as the new structure will house a maximum of 44,000 volumes it will of course be adequate for many years to come. It is located southeast of Garrett Hall of Fine Arts and exactly south of Whitfield Residence Hall. The funds for its construction were provided by the Mississippi Baptist Convention through the Cooperative Program. It will be dedicated in October.

With the enthusiastic approval of the Board of Trustees and without a dissenting vote it is to

be named the Guyton Library in appreciation of the unusual services of Professor and Mrs. David E. Guyton. Together they have served on the faculty of Blue Mountain College for a total of seventy-one years. This is a longer period of service than any husband and wife have been members of our teaching staff. Both are graduates of Blue Mountain College.

For a brief time Mrs. Guyton taught freshman English but for more than twenty years taught history only. She was an unusually effective teacher and greatly beloved by her students. She has served the College and community in various other capacities and is now President of

## Vacation Bible School With A Difference

TORONTO, Ont. (RNS) — There's a vacation Bible school with a difference in this Ontario capital, where the minister totes a toy gun and a sombrero and is known to 100 "cowhands," aged 3 to 12, as Shorty Short Horn, the marshal.

At Grace Baptist church, the Rev. Reginald Horne and his helpers are creating a western atmosphere, using names of TV characters, in their two-week school with its theme, "Pioneering for Christ."

Mrs. Betty Thornhill is "Kitty," one of the characters in the TV Western play, Gunsmoke; Mrs. Gertrude Jackson is "Saddle Gertie," Jacob Weins is "Sure Gun Jake."

## Historical Confabs To Be Led By Lumpkin

NASHVILLE (BP) — William L. Lumpkin, associate professor of church history at Southern Baptist Seminary, Louisville, will direct history conferences this summer at both Ridgcrest, N. C., and Glorieta, N. M., assemblies.

The conferences are sponsored by the Southern Baptist Historical Commission. Topic of each conference is "The Story of Baptist Confessions of Faith."

Expected to attend are teachers of Bible, religious education, religion, and related fields in Southern Baptist schools and colleges. Men who teach in these fields in state-supported schools are welcome also, Masden said.

Professor Guyton was the first man to receive a BMC diploma and the only one for the first half-century of the history of the college. He also has degrees from the University of Mississippi and Columbia University. For more than a third of a century he has been head of the Department of Social Science. Although he has taught full time for about forty-five years he has rendered conspicuous service in many other fields. In a quarter century

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## Conflicting Signs Seen In Stadium

By George Burnham  
News Editor  
Christianity Today Magazine

NEW YORK CITY—The centerfield sign at Yankee Stadium read, "Say Seagram and be sure." Directly behind home plate was a banner, "Jesus said, I am the Way, the Truth and the Life."

Jammed between the two viewpoints were 100,000 people—the largest crowd ever to attend any event in "The house that (Babe) Ruth built" in 1923. About 20,000 were turned away after standees filled the outfield area.

The wide open spaces covered by the likes of Joe DiMaggio and Mickey Mantle were covered by the Smiths and Joneses from Manhattan, the Bronx, Brooklyn and Jersey City.

It was the hottest night of the year, with reporters in the dugouts perspiring more than Casey Stengel during a ninth inning rally. Seventy persons were treated for heat exhaustion. Over 2,500 ushers did a magnificent job of keeping confusion

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**Teachers Of  
Religion To  
Hold Meeting**

RIDGECREST, N. C. (BP) — The College Association of Baptist Teachers of Religion will hold its annual conference at Ridgcrest Baptist Assembly August 28-29.

Eric Rust, professor of Christian apologetics, Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, of Louisville, will bring three lectures. An annual business session and election of officers will be held.

E. C. Masden, professor of Bible, Cumberland College, Williamsburg, Ky., is president of the association. Other officers are Joe M. King, associate professor of religion, Furman University, Greenville, S. C., vice-president; and J. W. Angell, associate professor of religion, Wake Forest College, Winston-Salem, N. C., secretary-treasurer.

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## Ridgcrest Marks 50th Anniversary

RIDGECREST, N. C.—Ridgcrest Baptist Assembly formally celebrated its 50th Anniversary July 24, with more than 4,000 men, women, and children attending the program.

Part of the observance was the dedication of the \$125,000 Children's Building which was completed last year.

At the dedication program in the assembly's main auditorium, Dr. Porter Routh, executive secretary of the Southern Baptist Convention's executive committee, dedicated the building to "the young mothers and fathers . . . impatiently waiting that first breath, the first cry . . . to teachers . . . babes in their cribs . . . toddlers . . . big-eyed beginners . . . questioning primaries . . . and above all . . . to God, in appreciation of His unfaltering guidance, and with the continual prayer that we might follow in His steps."

Climaxes T. U. Week  
The dedication program climaxed the third Training Union Conference.

Dr. James L. Sullivan, executive secretary-treasurer of the Baptist Sunday School Board, presided at the program. Dr. Harold E. Ingraham, director of the Service Division of the Board, made the anniversary address, mentioning the blessings derived by individuals because of Ridgcrest.

Robert Guy, administrator of the Baton Rouge (La.) General Hospital and the manager of Ridgcrest from 1946 to 1950, sang "Stranger of Galilee," then R. L. Middleton, author of the history book of Ridgcrest, "A Dream Come True," introduced special guests for the occasion.

Special Guests  
They were Mrs. B. W. Spillman, wife of the founder of the assembly, Mrs. Hight C. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Willis, Rev. and Mrs. J. Jeter Johnson, H. B. Craven, Mrs. R. F. Staples, Miss Wallace Tucker, Dr. J. W. Cammack, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Moore, C. E. Crosland, Misses Caroline and Martha Biggers, Miss Mary Ward, Mrs. Edith Beam, Mrs. M. T. Rankin, and Dr. J. Powell Tucker.

Former managers of the assembly who were present for the anniversary were Dr. J. N. Barnette, Mr. Guy and Mr. Craven.

A tea was held for the wives (Continued on Page 2)

**Toronto Sunday  
Paper To Stop  
Publication**

TORONTO, Ont. (RNS)—The Sunday Telegram, Ontario's first Sunday newspaper which appeared here March 17 despite many protests from Protestant leaders, will cease publishing on July 28.

John Bassett, publisher, said the Sunday issue will be discontinued because of high production costs and a "disappointing circulation."

He said the edition had been a "losing and expensive" proposition from the start.

When the Sunday Telegram first hit the streets it caused a storm of protest from the Lord's Day Alliance of Canada and other religious groups.

The newspaper is facing prosecution in the courts by Attorney General Kelso Roberts of Ontario under the Lord's Day Act of Canada which prohibits unnecessary Sunday work.

On a complaint from the Telegram, two other Toronto newspapers—the Star and Globe and Mail—as well as the government owned Canadian Broadcasting Corporation and Radio Station CKEY, also will be prosecuted for Sunday work in what

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**Sunday School  
Board Elects  
Howard Reaves**

RIDGECREST, N. C. (BP)—The Baptist Sunday School Board, holding its summer session here, elected Howard M. Reaves, pastor of First Baptist Church, Mobile, Ala., president.

He succeeds B. Locke Davis, pastor of Parker Memorial Baptist Church, Anniston, Ala.

Ernest J. Moench, Nashville, Tenn., layman, was elected chairman of the executive committee of the board. This committee is composed of board members living in the Nashville area.

J. Harold Stephens, pastor of Inglewood Baptist Church, of Nashville, was re-elected recording secretary.

The board also elected a new secretary for its Sunday school department. He is A. V. Washburn, who has been on the board staff since 1933, and will succeed J. N. Barnette, who is retiring Jan. 1.

Washburn joined the Sunday school department as secretary of young people's work. After a period of Navy service during World War II, Washburn returned to the board in 1946 as secretary of teaching and training in the same department.

**Ohio Convention In  
Purchase New Home**

COLUMBUS, Ohio (BP)—The State Convention of Baptists in Ohio recently bought a home to which they will move their state offices now located elsewhere in the city.

The new offices, at 1680 E. Broad St., will probably be occupied in mid-August. Presently offices are at 30 S. Fourth St. here.

The Baptist Book Store will remain at 30 S. Fourth St. and plans to expand into space vacated by state convention officers.

**Charges Airlines  
Ignore Voluntary  
Temperance Code**

WASHINGTON, D. C. (RNS) — The Methodist Board of Temperance charged here that the voluntary code to control drinking by passengers on commercial airlines has been "virtually ignored in recent months."

It called upon Congress to conduct public hearings on legislation that would ban alcoholic beverages in the air.

The Methodist group commended Sen. Strom Thurmond (D-S. C.) for sponsoring such legislation and urged religious and temperance organizations to support his efforts to obtain Senate hearings.

In 1956, the House passed a bill that would have barred airlines from serving liquor to their passengers, but the measure died in the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee when the major airlines announced adoption of a voluntary code to control drinking.

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**Around The World In "Less  
Than 80 Days" Is Itinerary**

Around the world in "less than eight days" is the August itinerary description for George W. Cummins, associate director, Chaplains Commission of the Home Mission Board.

Cummins, who leaves August 17 for a 72-day trip, is making the tour at the request of the Chaplains Commission to contact Southern Baptist military chaplains and other military personnel and to survey spiritual needs.

The associate director will counsel with chaplains and military sources, assisting them in accomplishing the task of ministering to Baptists in the military. Contact will be made with over 100 Baptist chaplains.

The trip is part of a long-range Chaplains Commission program of surveying first-hand the spiritual welfare of Baptist military personnel where they are located around the world.

**Far East Area**  
Cummins' trip will deal principally with the Far East and the Mediterranean area.

September 30-October 3, Cummins will be in Oiso, Japan, in a spiritual life retreat for Baptist chaplains, their families, and other military personnel.

Stops along the tour include: Honolulu, Guam, Manila, Hong Kong, Taipei, Okinawa, Tokyo, Seoul, Bangkok, Dhahran, Ankara, Istanbul, Cairo, Tripoli, Malta, Pales, Rome, Madrid, and North Africa.



G. AVERY LEE —

## Brevity Vs. Longevity

Two recent news items caught my attention by the obvious contrast. The first was a lengthy article written by a seminary professor. Let me quote two brief paragraphs:

"I studied the 46 year history of a Southern Baptist Church. For this entire time the length of service of its pastors averaged 10 1/2 months. (Boldface mine) A friend studied 40 churches in one Association and discovered that the average length of pastoral service was eight months."

Great day, Doc, that's too short! A man and a church can't

even get acquainted in 10 months. If you read between the lines a bit, you get the idea that those churches were pastorless almost half of the time. Say a man would give even two weeks' notice that he was leaving, it would take a few more weeks in the meantime to locate another pastor. No wonder so many of our churches seem on the ineffective side.

Now, the contrast. Listen to this other paragraph:

"Dr. John S. Wilder has begun his 50th year as pastor of Calvary Temple in Savannah, Georgia. Dr. Wilder has preached 6,128 sermons, made 141,138 sick calls, raised \$1,100,107.59 for church purposes, performed 6,505 marriage ceremonies, and conducted 8,271 funeral services. In addition, he has led 5,908 meetings and written 5,403 published articles. He is a past president of the Georgia Baptist Convention."

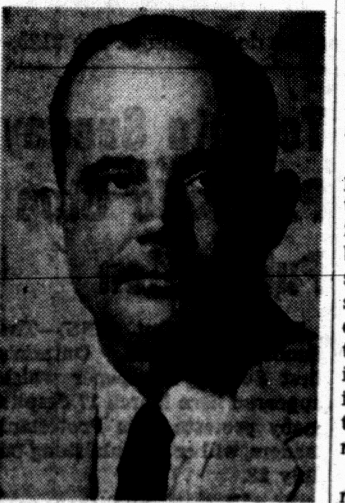
Wow! Talk about throwing a pebble in a lake and watching the ever widening circle, that's it! Think of the lives that have been touched in a deeply personal way. Imagine the times of sharing in the joys and sorrows of people, being with them in times of crisis. Knowing and being known so that one's life and influence mean something is a tremendous fact in a successful ministry.

No, I wouldn't say that those men and churches who averaged eight months were entirely unsuccessful. Undoubtedly some good was done. But I doubt if the good can possibly offset the constant disruption.

I know a fellow can stay in a place too long as well as not staying long enough. It's not my purpose to discuss that with you. Nor am I going to talk about the factors involved. Some of the professors can do that—and it needs to be done. I do think it's high time for preachers and churches to do some considering of the matter.

**SAN FRANCISCO** — Twenty-six San Francisco Protestant and Jewish leaders have written to President Eisenhower asking him to press for an end to nuclear weapons tests.

## MARS HILL MEET TO BEGIN AUG. 4



Rev. M. H. Fields, Mars Hill Church, Amite county, announces evangelistic services which will be conducted August 4-9.

Rev. M. H. Fields, pastor of the Caddo Heights Church of Shreveport, Louisiana, will be the evangelist and Eugene Price, Music Director of the Second Avenue Church, Laurel, will be the music director.

Sunday, Aug. 4, there will be a morning and afternoon service and lunch will be served at the church. Sunday School begins at 10:00 a. m. The afternoon service will begin about 1:30 p. m. (There will be no night service.)

All week-day services will begin at 7:30 p. m. Rev. W. W. Hoffer is pastor.

## Ladnier New Pastor At Carmel (Lawrence)



Rev. Oliver C. Ladnier

Rev. Oliver C. Ladnier assumed his duties on July 1 as pastor of the Carmel Church near Monticello.

Mr. Ladnier has served as pastor of the Calvary Mission in Jackson since 1951. Originally from Pascagoula, he graduated from Mississippi College in 1952 and is now enrolled as a student in the New Orleans Seminary where he has had one and one-half years of study.

Mrs. Ladnier, the former Patsy Dossett, is from near Mobile, Alabama. They have two daughters, Linda Kay, age six, and Brenda Karen, age one year.

## GALILEE REVIVAL TO BEGIN AUG. 4



Rev. Howard Benton

Rev. James T. Berch, pastor of the Galilee Church, Copiah County, announces that revival services will begin there on Sunday, August 4, with two services on the opening date, at 11 and at 1:30.

Lunch will be served on the ground on August 4, which has been designated as Homecoming Day. Services during the week will be at 10:30 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

Rev. Howard Benton, pastor of the Hillsboro Church, Scott County, will be the evangelist. Melvin Middleton will direct the music.

## Tax Legislation - - -

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portion of the purchase price of any product which includes an excise tax.

This would amount to about seven per cent of the purchase price of a school bus, Treasury officials estimated. It would exempt the schools and colleges from the 10 per cent Federal tax on local and long distance telephone calls and when personnel of the school travel on official business, it would exempt them from the Federal tax on transportation.

A spokesman for the Senate Finance Committee said that its legislative work had been so delayed by the protracted public hearings which have been conducted into the Treasury's "tight money" policy that there will not be time during the remainder of the present session to consider the House-approved excise measure.

## Charges Airlines - - -

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"The code calls for a limitation of two drinks per customer," the Methodist board said. But Roland K. Quinn, Jr., president of the Airline Stewards and Stewardesses Association, has reported, it said "that the airlines seem to have a tacit agreement to ignore the code and we have had many reports of stewardesses being disciplined for failure to serve enough liquor to meet airline quotas."

In view of the charges against the airlines, Dr. Caradine R. Hooton, executive secretary of the Temperance Board said Congress should act on the legislation.

## W.M.S. Reading Club Proves Successful

The W. M. S. of Emmanuel Church, Grenada, has just completed a program of reading that proved successful in many ways. The Society, in collaboration with the Church Library, conducted a Missionary Reading Club through the month of June. The only rule of the club was that one had to read at least one book, either on missions of a supplementary reading book for one of the mission studies.

The librarian, Mrs. Charles Smith, marked all the books that were to be counted with a star for easy location. Two groups were selected and large chart thermometers were placed in the room to keep score on. Each book read by a group would raise the "mercury" in their thermometer one degree.

A total of 38 books by 25 members were reported, the highest number ever read by any Society in Grenada Association in any one month heretofore.

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to a minimum. Shortly before 7 p. m. a wave of applause began rippling across the stands and grew into a mighty sound. Walking side by side toward the platform at second base were Billy Graham and Richard M. Nixon, Vice President of the United States. They were trailed by guards, friends and a few who sneaked in under the blanket of applause.

The Vice President, during the short walk, remarked to Graham that it must bring a great satisfaction to attract the largest crowd in the history of Yankee Stadium.

God Filled Stadium "I didn't fill this place," Graham replied. "God did it."

In the opening moments of the program, he stood and said the Lord's prayer. The sound of 100,000 voices joining in the most familiar prayer ever uttered must have bombarded the gates of Heaven. Later, another mighty sound rolled across the surrounding blocks as the voices joined in singing "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name."

It seemed impossible that complete quietness could come to such a throng, but it did as George Beverly Shea and the 4,000-voice choir, superbly led by Cliff Barrows, sang "How Great Thou Art."

After moving his eyes slowly around the vast expanses, Graham said in his opening remarks:

"A fellow was walking home alone through the graveyard one night and fell into an open grave that had been dug during the day. He pulled up roots and clods of dirt in a desperate effort to get out, but couldn't make it. Exhausted, he sat down in a corner to wait for daylight. It wasn't long before another fellow came walking along and fell into the same grave. He tried with all his might to get out but wasn't having much luck. The man who had been dozing over in the corner touched him on the shoulder and said, 'You can't get out of here.' But he did!

"They said Yankee Stadium wouldn't be filled. But it is. God has done this and all the honor, credit and glory must go to Him. You can destroy my ministry by praising me for this. The Bible says God will not share His glory with another."

Gives Choice Clutching his familiar Bible, he gave the listeners a choice between Heaven and Hell. "You make the choice by accepting or rejecting the Son of God, Jesus Christ. There is no middle ground."

With no room for people to walk to the platform, he asked all who would accept Christ to stand. An estimated 2,500 did so.

## Ridgecrest Marks - - -

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of the Sunday School Board members at the old log cabin across the new highway from the assembly buildings. This cabin, a stage coach house in early days, houses the original documents of incorporation of Ridgecrest, and other historical material. It was under an apple tree near the front porch of this cabin that the incorporation papers were signed.

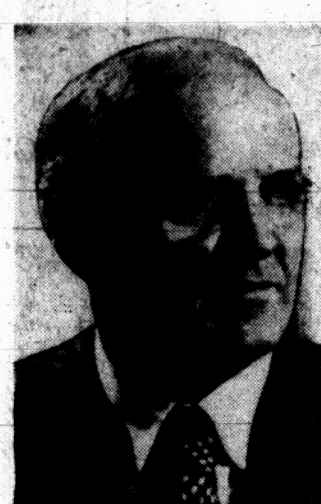
## Elraine To Occupy New Building



Rev. David T. Cranford

For several months Elraine Church on Delta Drive in Jackson has been engaged in a building program. The first unit of their program will be complete this week and the congregation will move into a new auditorium on Sunday, Aug. 4.

A special service of dedication has been planned. The pastor, Rev. Jack J. Cranford, will bring the message at the eleven o'clock hour, at which time the building will be formally dedicated.



Dr. Robert G. Lee

There will be dinner on the ground, served under the tent that has been recently used as a sanctuary. Afternoon speakers include Rev. David T. Cranford, pastor of First Church, Canton, Dr. W. C. Fields, Editor of the Baptist Record, and Miss Edwina Robinson, Executive Secretary of Mississippi Baptist W.M.U.

Dr. Robert G. Lee of Memphis, Tennessee will be the



Dr. W. C. Fields

guest speaker for the evening service. Special arrangements to seat an expected large congregation are being made.

The new auditorium which will seat approximately 500 people, is of contemporary architecture and will be equipped with new pews and a new Baldwin organ. The old auditorium has been recently converted into a seventeen-room educational annex.

## Three From Improve Work With Creeks

Improve Church, Marion Association, recently sent three young people to Wewoka, Okla. where they spent two weeks working among the Creek Indians under the supervision and guidance of Rev. Elliott Leitka, Missionary of the Muskogee, Seminole and Wichita Sunday School and Training Union Convention.

The first week they worked in Vacation Bible School and the second week in G. A. Assembly Camp. They report many interesting experiences.

The girls who went were: Miss Charlotte Stringer, Miss Peggy Watts and Miss Demaris Stringer. Rev. Dan Thompson is pastor.

## Farmhaven Church Announces Revival



Rev. Joe Royalty

Rev. F. E. Killingsworth, pastor, announces that revival services will begin at Farmhaven Church in Madison County on Sunday, August 4.

Rev. Joe Royalty of Spartanburg, South Carolina, former pastor of Emmanuel and Midway Churches in Jackson, will do the preaching. H. E. Wilkerson will lead the singing. Services will begin at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

## New Blue Mt. - - -

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tury he was President of the Bank of Blue Mountain. He is an outstanding Rotarian and has served as Governor of the Memphis Rotary District. He has perhaps had more poems published than any other Mississippian and is often called the poet laureate of Mississippi. For almost forty years he wrote a weekly comprehensive digest of Blue Mountain news, for most of the time under the heading "Neighborhood News," for the Southern Sentinel, published in Ripley. For many years he was local correspondent of the Commercial Appeal of Memphis and the Jackson Daily News.

Professor Guyton is the author of Mother Berry of Blue Mountain, the great biography which has run through three large editions, and was published by the Southern Baptist Sunday School Board.

He is listed in Who's Who in America.

On the granite blocks just over the main entrance of the attractive new building will occur the words GUYTON LIBRARY. Inside the front corridor there will be an appropriate bronze plaque. — From Blue Mountain College July Bulletin.

## Toronto Sunday - - -

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is regarded here as a move to clarify the law.

Neither the Star nor the Globe and Mail publishes a newspaper with a Sunday date, but the Globe's Monday edition is on the streets late Sunday night and the Star has a small editorial staff at work Sundays.

Appeals To Court The CBC has delayed the case of appealing to the Canadian Supreme Court on the grounds that it is a Crown corporation and therefore cannot be charged under the Lord's Day Act.

Meanwhile, Mr. Roberts said he had no comment on the possible effect the Telegram's decision to stop its Sunday edition might have on pending litigation. He added "these things have a way of working themselves out."

Mr. Bassett asserted that his paper's Sunday circulation had dropped to 130,000, a figure which did not appeal to advertisers. Consequently, he said, advertising had been very disappointing.

The publisher also said he had difficulty in getting carrier boys to deliver the paper on Sunday. He added the Telegram will resume issuing its Saturday weekend edition, with comics, magazine section and other Sunday features.

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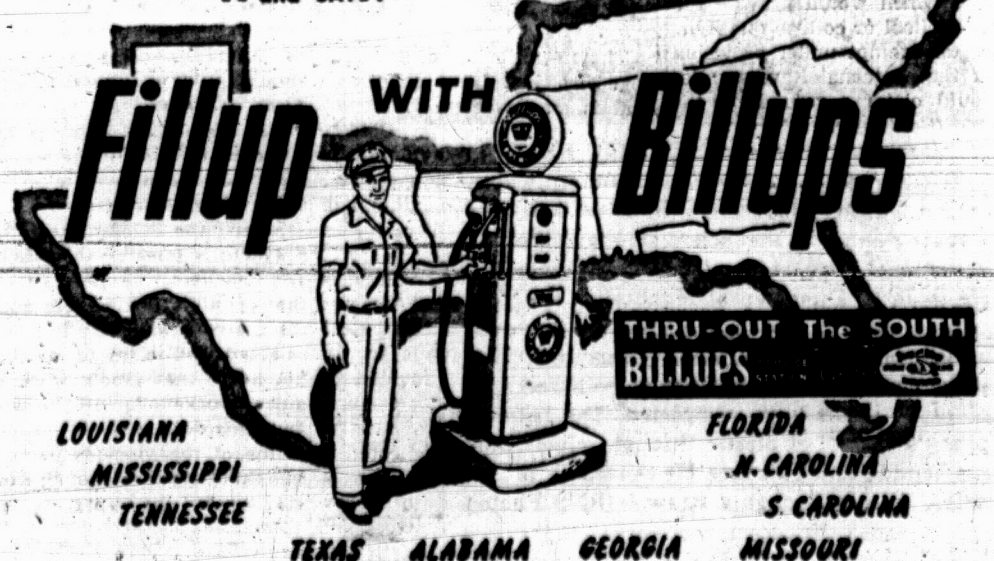
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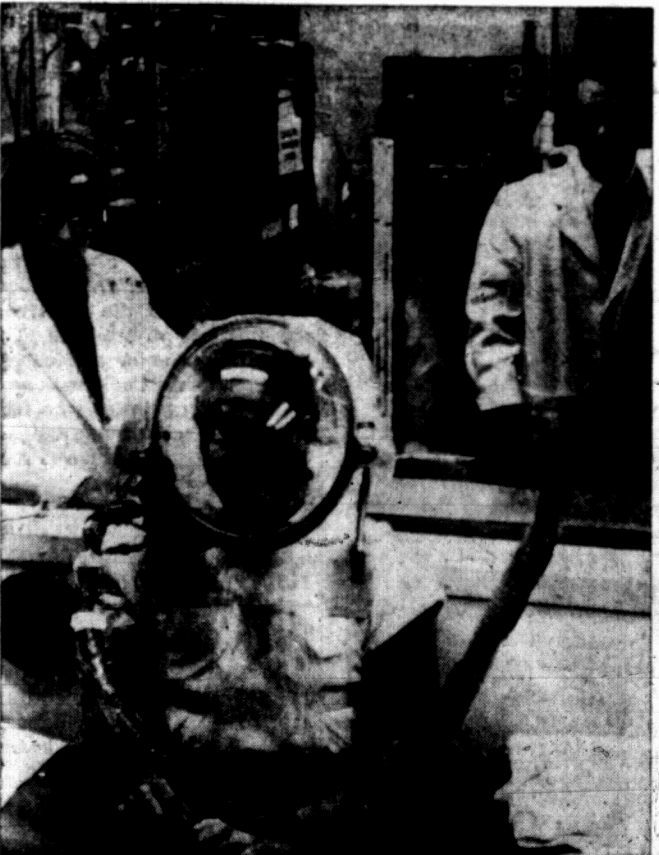
**"THIS IS THE ANSWER"**—Don Caldwell's wife tries to calm his deep resentment when he learns that his younger brother Steve is returning to the ranch broke and disillusioned from fast living in the city, in this modern-day version of the parable of "The Prodigal Son," a heart-warming episode of Christian forgiveness and Christian living in the TV series "This Is The Answer."



**YOUTHS COUNSEL THE AGED**—Student members of Augsburg College Mission Society, Minneapolis, visit an old people's home to offer Christian counseling to those desiring it.—(RNS Photo).



**30,000 SCOUTS AT UNITED PROTESTANT SERVICE**—VALLEY FORGE, Pa.—Some 30,000 Scouts attended a united Protestant service here held in connection with the National Jamboree of the Boy Scouts of America. The Rev. Louis H. Evans of New York, minister-at-large of the Board of National Missions, Presbyterian Church in the U. S. A., preached on "Tomorrow is Yours." Shown in background on stage is the encampment's theme: "Onward for God and My Country." Separate worship services for Scouts of each of the major religions and various denominations also were held during the day.—(RNS Photo).



**CO'S IN UNIQUE SCIENTIFIC EXPERIMENTS**—BETHESDA, Md.—A 20-year old Mennonite conscientious objector lives in a glass cell, 13 by 9 feet, and breathes through a space helmet so that scientists may observe him 24 hours a day and learn more of how the human body functions. He is Jerry Duerksen of Mountain Lake, Minn., who volunteered for the assignment at the National Institute of Health here, in lieu of military service. Other CO's followed him into the test chamber as volunteers until the series of experiments were completed. The helmet has an "elephant's trunk" of plastic through which Duerksen can fit his hand to touch his face. He can shave, brush his teeth and drink liquids through a straw.—(RNS Photo).

## How's Johnny Doing in School?

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (BSSB)—If your youngster hasn't been doing well in school, it could be the result of too much pressure at home, says Home Life writer Ross L. Holman of Nashville. His article in the August issue of Southern Baptists' Christian family magazine, published by the Sunday School Board, warns parents, "You Can Push Johnny Too Hard."

Too many parents prod their child to try to lead his class when average grades represent his best effort, Holman says. The strain of this relentless pressure not only affects the student's grades, he points out, but he may become discouraged and quit trying altogether.

"Parents need to remember that the less-than-brilliant child in the classroom is by no means destined to failure," the Home Life article notes. "Many of America's outstanding successes made a poor showing in school. Suggesting to a child that low grades mean he is a failure in life may do something to him from which he will never recover."

**May Become President**  
A lad may even grow up to become President in spite of poor grades, Holman writes. President Eisenhower is not remembered by his teachers as an outstanding scholar, and Franklin D. Roosevelt was hard pressed to keep up with his classes at Harvard and Columbia. Moreover, Thomas Edison, recognized today as a genius, was sent home by his teacher as "too stupid to learn."

"The highest ambition of any youngster is to seek to render the best service possible with the talents he has," Holman adds. "His parents can guide him to think in terms of what he can do for society rather than in how to be a big shot. After all, he can do more good in the world as a good plumber or taxi driver than as a poor doctor or preacher."

### Teacher, Pupils Killed On Way To Class Picnic

HARRISBURG, Ill. (BP)—The teacher and two pupils of 12-year old Sunday school class of McKinley Ave. Baptist Church here were killed recently in a collision while on their way to an outing.

Marion Lasseter, class teacher and driver of the car, had picked up six of his class members a short time before and was driving to nearby Eldorado, Ill. Another car collided with Lasseter's car head-on.

The accident also claimed the life of the driver of the other automobile. The other class members were hospitalized, two of them critically injured.

### Enon (Panola) Plans Homecoming

On Sunday, August 4, the Enon Church in Panola Association will observe Homecoming Day.

Enon Church was organized in 1940. Its first pastor, Rev. O. C. Chance, now of Columbia, will bring the 10:00 a. m. message, followed by dinner served on the church grounds.

In the afternoon former pastors and members will be recognized, with former pastors given time for a message.

Rev. O. W. Wheeler is the pastor.

### Concord Revival

Revival Services will be held at Concord Church (Smith County) August 4-9, with services at 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Rev. Jimmy Yarbrough, pastor of McDowell Road Church, Jackson, will be the evangelist.

Rev. J. A. McCain, the pastor, will have charge of the music. Lunch will be served at the church Sunday.

### BLAILOCK TO LEAD OGDEN REVIVAL



Gene Blalock

Rev. Gene Blalock, pastor of Sartatia Church (Yazoo County), will be the evangelist for the revival to be held at Ogden Church (Yazoo) August 4-9.

Rev. James Sadler, song leader of Ogden, will lead the singing. Dinner will be spread on the ground Sunday, August 4. Services during the week will be at 10:00 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Rev. H. E. Inman is pastor.

### IMPROVE ADDS STAFF MEMBER

Improve Church, Marion Association, has called Sidney Buckley as full time Minister of Music and Education. He began his work July 28.

Rev. Dan Thompson is pastor.

## Sunday School Department

E. C. WILLIAMS, Secretary PAUL D. BOOTHE, Associate  
MISS CAROLYN MADISON, Elementary Secretary  
MISS PAT HINES, Office Secretary

### ELECTION TIME AGAIN

Yes, indeed, it is election time again! The election of the officers and teachers of the Sunday school and all the workers for the other church organizations, too, are to be elected soon.

This is such an important step each year in a church program, this business of getting the right worker for each place of service. There are four steps in getting the officers and teachers of a Sunday school: 1. Prayer; 2. Selection; 3. Enlistment; 4. Election.

When workers are prayerfully selected and enlisted it means better placement and more earnest consideration given to the work by those so selected and enlisted. It is all right for one approached for a place of service not to say "Yes" immediately, if the reason for the delay is that the one approached wants to think and pray about it. More of that kind of delay is needed.

However, if the delay is simply a more convenient way to say "NO," then that is an entirely different matter.

After the Committee has prayerfully selected the officers and teachers, the next part is that of talking with them about the place to which he has been selected, and to try to lay it on his heart that God's work requires workers for all the work he wants done.

One of the glorious parts of it is that there are enough workers to do the work of any

church, if only the members have a mind to do it.

Yes, this is getting election time again. If you have not yet begun it in your church, this is the time to get started and thus be ready when the new year comes October 1.

**APPLICATIONS COMING IN**  
We are receiving applications right along now for the Sunday School Clinic here in Jackson, October 14-18. The Clinic serves Mississippi and adjoining states, and these applications are coming from other states as well as our own.

Get in line and be in on this great Clinic, the first of its kind ever to be held in Mississippi. Make the most of it by getting as many of your officers and teachers attend as possible. Don't miss this great opportunity.

### AWARDS FOR JUNE

No. Awards for June 1,958  
No. Awards to Date 29,765  
No. Churches to Date 706  
No. Assoc. to Date 75

### HIGH FIVE CHURCHES

West Jackson 130  
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Parkway, Jackson 61  
Grenada, First 75

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Pearl River 98  
Neshoba 81  
Leake 79

## Names In The News

Jerry Delaughter was ordained to the gospel ministry on Friday, July 26, at First Church, Natchez. Rev. Wayne Todd, pastor of First Church, Brookhaven, preached the ordination sermon; Rev. Russell McIntire, Clinton, presented the charge to the candidate. Dr. D. Lewis White, Natchez, presented the Bible.

John Diefenbaker, Canada's new prime minister, is a Baptist. He is a member of First Baptist Church, Prince Albert, Sask.

Harmon Etter, one of the founders of the Illinois Baptist State Association, died recently at his home in Pana, Ill. He had retired from the active ministry in 1940.

Rev. M. C. Waldrup is the evangelist for revival services being held this week at the New Hope Church in the Sunflower Association. Rev. C. C. Cornelius is the pastor.

Rev. and Mrs. J. Earl Posey, Jr., Southern Baptist missionaries to the Philippines, may now be addressed at 1315 M. H. del Pilar, Manila, Philippines. Mrs. Posey, formerly Mamie Lou Eubanks, is a native of Lucedale, Miss.

### Smyrna Announces August Revival

Smyrna Church announces revival services August 4-August 9.

There will be all day services on the 4th, with dinner on the ground. The services will begin at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. thru the week.

The visiting preacher will be Rev. Hugh Martin from High Hill and Madden Churches. The song services will be under the direction of W. W. Bishop. The pianist will be Mrs. Sturgis Dodds.

Rev. L. C. Anthony is the pastor.

### Duck To Preach At New Prospect



Rev. Carl Duck

Revival services will be held at the New Prospect Church in Lafayette County, August 4-9. Rev. Carl Duck, pastor, First Church, Batesville, will be the preacher Monday through Friday.

The pastor, Rev. Elton Barlow, will preach at both services on Sunday.

Services Monday through Friday will be at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. On Sunday, Sunday School will be at 10 a. m., preaching services at 11:00, Training Union at 7:00 p. m., and preaching services at 8:00.

### Irby To Lead Holmesville Meet

Rev. David Irby, pastor of Crosby Church, will be the evangelist for the revival at Holmesville Church in Pike County. Services will begin Sunday, August 4 and continue through August 9.

Rev. George Canzonieri, of Jackson, will lead the singing. Rev. Harold L. Kitchings is the pastor.

### FOUR BAPTIZED AFTER REVIVAL AT ENID CHURCH

The Enid Church near Tillahoba has just completed one of its most successful revivals. Approximately 100 people attended each night. There were five decisions, four for baptism.

The visiting evangelist was Rev. Talmadge Pannell, pastor of the Oakland Church. The song leader was Rev. Bobby Walton, the pastor.



### REPORTS FROM OUR STUDENT SUMMER MISSIONARIES



Hazel Prestridge

Miss Hazel Prestridge, a student at Southwest Junior College, sends us this word about her work in the Northwest:

I cannot tell you what a wonderful experience this has been for me. I did not realize that there could be such a need here. It is very hard to get some of the people to attend church.

I have worked in three Vacation Bible Schools and one survey. Most of my work has been in Washington but this week I am in my third VBS at Baker, Oregon. Through the Bible Schools we have a wonderful opportunity to reach the children and many of the parents who aren't saved.

There is a tremendous need here at Baker, Oregon for Christ. It is especially hard to get the people interested in church because there are so many worldly things. Usually the people go to the hills or fishing someplace for the weekend — just anything for worldly pleasure. The people have not stopped to think about their spiritual needs and that is one of the things we have been trying to get them to do.

I am working with the Primaries and my heart pours out to these little children when I see their need. The parents aren't interested in them and don't care whether the children attend Sunday School or not. Half the time the parents don't even know where the children are, especially on Sunday.

It makes me want to do more when I see how eager the children are to learn more about Jesus; especially when so many have never been to church before and don't know anything at all.

For the next two weeks I will be working in Spokane, Washington in a two week VBS. All of my remaining work will be VBS.

Please continue to pray for the work here in the Northwest for there is a great need, more than you can ever realize.

### Moorhead Revivalist



Dr. Sam C. Reeves

Dr. Sam C. Reeves, regional director for the Relief and Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, will be the evangelist for revival services at the Moorhead Church August 4-11. Dr. Reeves has pastored Baptist churches at Alexandria, Eldorado, Ark., and in other states.

Services will be held at 7:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. The music will be under the direction of the Rev. Marvin A. Crimm, pastor of the Blaine and Daddsville Churches in Sunflower County. A unique feature of this revival is the fact that prayer services have been held each week day evening for two months prior to the beginning of the services on August 4. Rev. Charles A. Ray is pastor.



Ida Beryl Sims

The work here is still growing. The need of the people here is so very great. There are over 900 cities and towns in Ohio that are without any Baptist work at all. The people who are Christians are so complacent that they do not even see the other persons needs.

We have 106 churches in Ohio and 54 missions at the present time. For the last two weeks I have been in Ironton and Kingston in Bible School, Census and Revival. Neither of these places had any Baptist work until now. This week I am in Logan, a city of 7500 people and a county seat, and until this week there has been no Baptist work there. This will be the first work in the entire county.

There is so much to be done, so many to reach and such a short time to work and so few to do the work. We need your prayers above all else that the strength and power will be ours as we serve our Lord.

### 12 Additions In Hickory Flat Revival

There were 12 additions during the recent revival at Hickory Flat Church — eight professions of faith, three additions by letter and one by statement.

Rev. D. M. Renick, pastor of LaBelle Church led the singing. A religious census had been taken prior to the revival, according to Rev. J. N. Holloway, pastor.

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## EDITORIALS

"There is another and a greater need for us to pray for the Emperor, and, indeed, for the whole estate of the empire, and the interests of Rome. For we know that the great upheaval which hangs over the whole earth, and the very end of all things, threatening terrible woes, is only delayed by the respite granted to the Roman empire. Because we would not experience these things, we favor Rome's long continuance when we pray that they be delayed. . . . In the Emperor we reverence the judgment of God, who has set him over the nations. . . ."—Tertullian, APOLOGY (197AD)

### The Old Guard

Young preachers, just out of the seminary, often are in for some surprises.

Energetic, aspiring, idealistic, their plans and programs are sometimes frustrated.

They can sympathize with the young county agent. Fresh out of agricultural college, he was trying to show a farmer of the old school how to farm his land more profitably.

Finally, the farmer—his patience worn out by the scientific terms and newfangled ideas—cut in sharply, "Listen here, young feller, don't tell me how to farm! I've already worn out three farms!"

### The Sin of Whitewashing

Whatever the hellfire-and-brimstone era of American Christianity lacked, it had at least one redeeming quality: moral courage.

In the mid-Twentieth Century we are so weighted down with diplomacy and so soaked in our desire for approval that we hesitate to call sins "sin."

In this Dale Carnegie era of "soft soaping" it is becoming improper to condemn anything. The general atmosphere of the day allows considerable misconduct to go unchallenged. If the misdoer is a fairly decent fellow his misdeeds can be overlooked. Or so it would seem.

Our concern for "sweetness and light" may be the undoing of sin as a strong doctrine of our faith.

"In the world," to be sure, but are we not making it fashionable for Christians to be "of the world?"

We are like the jury in Jackson County, Texas which became so impressed with the polite expressions of the legal profession that the members returned this verdict on a murder trial: "We, the gentlemen of the jury, find the defendant not quite guilty."

Even rogues can be likeable, scoundrels congenial, and worldly people winsome, this is a day—above all others—when sin needs to be called by its name.

### Getting Up A Speech And Then Getting It Down!

For all who have difficulty getting across to your listeners the message you have in mind, we commend—to pastors and laity alike—the example of an English preacher by the name of William Lichfield.

In his lifetime the good brother memorized 3,083 sermons by copying each of them in longhand ten times.

### The Good Old Days?

In moments of sentimentality we sometimes refer to our forefathers as having been far more religious minded than we are today.

Were they? If we can take church membership as any indication, they were not! Today more than 60 percent of the people in this country are church members. A century ago only 16 percent were members.

## Quotables

SELECTED BY THE EDITOR FROM CONTEMPORARY THOUGHT AND OPINION

The world is full of willing people; some willing to work, the rest willing to let them.—Robert Frost.

To be seen one must stand up—to be heard one must speak clearly—but to be appreciated, one must sit down.—Margery Wilson.

People who fly into a rage always make a bad landing.—Will Rogers.

Most folks are about as happy as they make up their minds to be.—Abraham Lincoln.

David Livingstone, the great explorer and Christian pioneer, wrote in one magnificent sentence, "I will go anywhere—provided it be forward."—Walter Russell Bowie.

Remember when your mother used to say "Go to your room?" This was a terrible penalty. Now when a mother says the same thing, a kid goes to his room. There he's got an air-conditioner, a TV set, an inter-com, a short-wave radio—he's better off than he was in the first place.—Sam Levenson.

Winston Churchill, apropos of his 77th birthday: "We are happier in many ways when we are old than when we are young. The young sow wild oats. The old grow sage."—Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.

Asked which of his works he would select as his masterpiece, architect Frank Lloyd Wright, now 83, replied, "My next one."—Milwaukee Journal.

Tact: The unsaid part of what you think.—Henry Van Dyke.

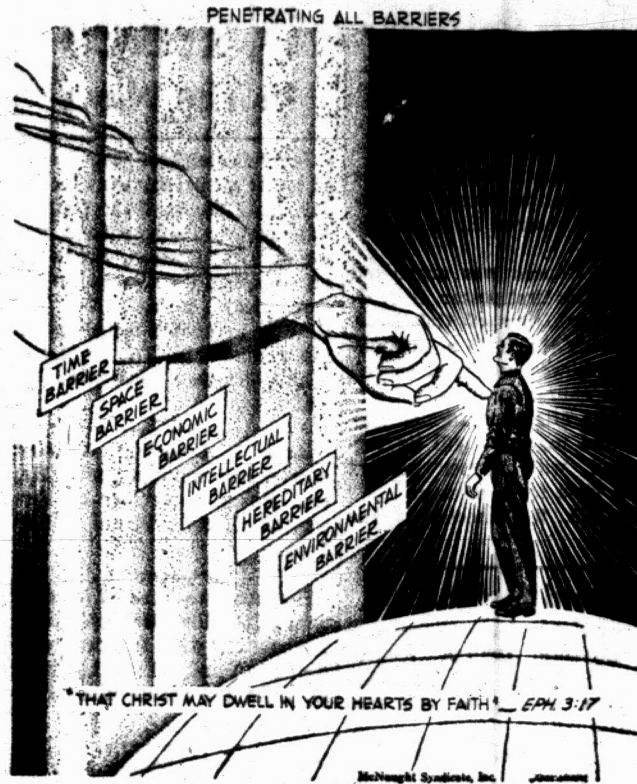
Franklin P. Jones. The trouble with being punctual is that nobody's there to appreciate.—The Saturday Evening Post.

Experience is the name everyone gives to his mistakes.—Oscar Wilde.

Real Prayer always does one of two things: It either frees us from the trouble we fear or else it gives us the strength and courage to meet the trouble when it comes.—Harry Emerson Fosdick.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.—Ministers prominent in an anti-liquor drive in this city strengthened their campaign by taking steps to form a Cumberland County Citizens Committee for Good Government at a meeting of the Allied Church League here.

RIO DE JANEIRO — A 100 per cent income boost is needed by the United Bible Societies to overcome "a critical shortage of the Holy Scriptures," according to a statement issued at the close of the organization's fourth World Council meeting here.



## Pages From The Past

By J. L. BOYD

50 Years Ago

The Greenville Baptist Church dedicated their new house of worship in July 21 with Lansing Burrows preaching the sermon and Secretary A. V. Rowe leading in the dedicatory prayer. "In spite of the very hot weather, the large auditorium and galleries were crowded," Pastor W. A. Borum reporting.

Pastor R. R. Jones of the Pearl Haven church, Lincoln County, tells of the very successful revival meeting with twenty-three additions, nine of them for baptism. J. W. Mayfield did the preaching.

40 Years Ago

The Friendship church, four miles east of McComb, closed a "successful revival" which resulted in eleven accessions, with J. B. Quin of Grenada doing the preaching, associated with Pastor W. R. Johnson. Jessie Lee White, reporting.

Pastor T. W. Green of Hattiesburg writes to speak approvingly of the action of the Mississippi Baptist Convention in creating a new Convention Board with one member from each Baptist association in the state, one third to be elected each year for a period of two years, from brethren nominated by the associations to the place. (This is practically the method which obtains to the present time J. L. B.)

25 Years Ago

Pastor A. W. Talbert reports a good meeting at Johnson Station resulting in four additions to the membership. R. B. Patterson, a former pastor, from Calhoun City did the preaching and Singer N. L. Walker led the singing.

The Reporter from the Morton Church tells of a successful meeting of days in which Pastor W. L. Meadows was the preacher and F. L. Coker led the song services, featuring the Junior Choir of seventy-five members. Twelve additions to the church, four of them by profession of faith and baptism.

### Calendar Of Prayer

August 5 — F. O. Oliver, Attala Association Brotherhood President; A. A. Ward, Leake Association Missionary.  
August 6 — Roy A. Schmidt, Lawrence Association Training Union Director.  
August 7 — Mrs. O. T. Ray, Pontotoc Association WMU President; J. B. Costlow, Clarke College BSU Director.  
August 8 — Gordon Burt, Jr., Pike Association Sunday School Supt.; W. P. Davis, Madison County Representative, Mississippi Baptist Convention Board.  
August 9 — Mrs. H. W. Clinton, Baptist Building; Mrs. Van Cotton, Baptist Building.  
August 10 — C. G. Bobo, Trustee, Baptist Memorial Hospital; A. B. Williams, Trustee, Baptist Orphanage.  
August 11 — Luther Joe Thompson, Blue Mountain College; Zachary Hederman, Trustee, Miss. Baptist Hospital.

## The New Encyclopedia: Perfection Vs. Reality

Specially Written for Baptist Press by Louie Latimer Owens, Greenville, S. C.

There must be a lot of Southern Baptists who wonder what goes on when members of their Historical Society gather for a meeting. They probably visualize a bunch of old gents tying knots in 12-inch beards as they adjust bifocals over moth-eaten documents. That just couldn't be true because five of us are ladies. And the rest—well, forget about the beards.

Among the variety of items on the July 18-18 agenda in Nashville was a panel on the forthcoming Encyclopedia of Southern Baptists. Mr. Judson Allen, one of the editors and, incidentally, a definitely young man, described the encyclopedia as "a compromise between perfection and reality." This

brought on whoops because everybody interpolated that Judson is the perfectionist and Dr. Norman Cox, the Commission's executive secretary who can run circles around any beaver, is the realist.

Dr. William J. Fallis, weary editor of the Broadman Press, who has final charge of the 1,500,000-word manuscript, observed dryly, "If you think four readings will correct all errors in galleys, you don't have a very realistic doctrine of sin."

#### Research Required

The enormity of the research for the encyclopedia was reviewed by Dr. Lynn May, the Commission's research director. Dr. May is known to history circles as "The Bird Dog" for his extraordinary ability to sniff out material.

One of the encyclopedia's 52 area editors was Dr. Penrose St. Amant, professor of church history in New Orleans Seminary. This brilliant young scholar managed to describe the gigantic undertaking in terms that moved even the Commission and Society, every member of which had sweated over some phase of the work. Said Dr. St. Amant, "The encyclopedia will provide a definition of ourselves for ourselves, our friends, our critics. It is a spontaneous definition. It will tell of our culture. It will reveal the unity, not uniformity, of Southern Baptists."

Concluding his analysis, Dr. St. Amant said, "The encyclopedia is a testimony of free cooperation of a free people in a labor of love."

"It will show the world a side of Baptists they seldom see, our struggle to understand ourselves."

"It will strengthen a sense of history to ourselves. What could be more important than this?"

**Remove Distortions**  
"It will eliminate many distortions of Southern Baptists in the religious and secular press. We are a people who stress many simplicities of the Gospel but we cannot be written off in the theological debate."

"The encyclopedia will provide a ready reference for Southern Baptists without being either official or authoritarian."

"It will provide our people with a vast store of inspiration."

Dr. Clifton J. Allen, an associate chairman of the editorial committee of the encyclopedia and an effective coat-tail puller, managed to bring the panel to a close after it had gone only 15 minutes overtime.

And anybody who still thinks that history is dull these days needs to swap off his outmoded ideas. Probably, the fastest means of making the swap is to drop in on Commission-Society meetings some hot July day.

### 18TH CENTURY BAPTIST PRESS

## Four Baptist Prisoners Discharged After Forty-Six Days Of Persecution

URBANA, Va., Sept. 26, 1771 — (BP) After forty-six days in prison, during which they were at times on bread and water, held in close confinement, and attacked and threatened by mobs, four Baptist preachers today were set free.

The ministers, John Waller, Robert Ware, James Greenwood, and William Webber, were sentenced for preaching without a license from the state church of Virginia. But they were released because iron bars could not imprison their message.

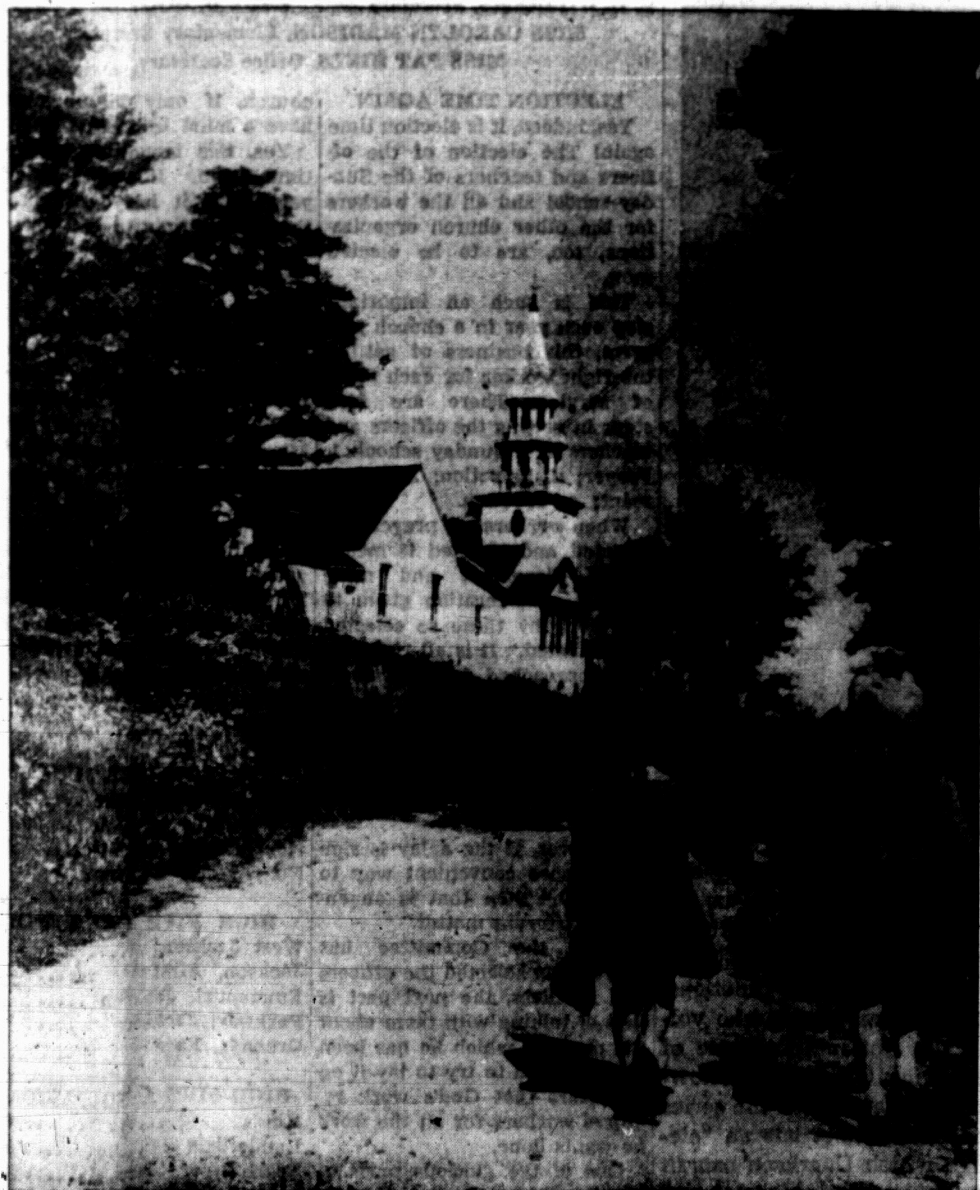
Almost from the hour of their imprisonment, the Baptists continued to preach, sometimes from their cells and again from the prison yard. Invariably their persecutors attempted to disrupt the meetings.

But persecution only added to the power of the Baptist message. Crowds flocked regularly to Middlesex County jail to hear the preachers, and many who heard were converted. It was because of the effectiveness of their preaching and their rapidly growing following that the preachers were finally set free.

The four preachers were sentenced on August 26 to be kept in close jail on bread and water until each posted bonds of seventy pounds and promised not to preach in the county for six months.

The Baptists were not on bread and water long, however. As soon as their friends heard of their need, they brought such ample provisions that the prisoners actually were giving

BOSTON — A resolution urging citizens of Massachusetts to "pray for rain" to alleviate drought conditions in the state was adopted by the Senate.



HAND IN HAND—"Whoever does the will of God is my brother and my sister . . ." (Mk 3:35 RSV).—(RNS Photo).

## Counselor's Corner

By Dr. R. Lofton Hudson

Dr. Hudson, pastor of Wornall Road Baptist Church, Kansas City, Missouri is author of "The Religion of a Mature Person" and "The Religion of a Sound Mind" for the Baptist Record.

(Author of the new book FOR OUR AGE OF ANXIETY which may be purchased from your Baptist Book Store.)

### Ex-wife Threatens

**QUESTIONS:** Four years ago I married a man who had been married before. He was 32 and I was 17. His former wife and their little girl live close by and she writes both of us letters saying how much she loves him and begs me to free him.

Now she threatens to move in with us if he does not start helping her more. We pay all the child's doctor's bills now and help all we can. But we are buying a little home and don't have much money. My husband just laughs at these threats and then we fuss. What can I do? We work in the church regularly and try to live like Christians.

**ANSWER:** It sounds to me like you married a mistake instead of a man. Any man ought to have sense enough to know that such letters are a great threat to your security. Laughing at your concern is a pretty low blow.

It seems to me that you have only two possibilities. Sit tight and pray that she may not carry out this threat. Incidentally if she tries to move in, a few hand-

fuls of hair pulled out the minute she darkens your door might help to answer your prayers. I'm not recommending this, but if your husband is not man enough to protect you, it will be necessary for you to defend yourself. The other possibility is to get a divorce. I cannot recommend that either.

Maybe God has a better way. Go slow and pray. He will show you.

(Address questions to Dr. Hudson, Wornall Road Baptist Church, Kansas City, Mo.)

## BOOK REVIEWS

By The Editor

(All books available through the Baptist Book Store.)

**THE GREAT "I AM'S" OF JESUS** by John Gaylor, editorial secretary of the Home Mission Board, is a splendid book of sermons—simple, straightforward and effective. Author of three previous books, Dr. Gaylor comes in this one to the most important words ever spoken—the sayings of Jesus. (Zondervan, 86 pp., \$2.00).

**COUNSELING FOR Church Vocations** by Samuel Southard is a practical how-to-do-it book for the church leader who is trying to help young people in their choice of "full-time Christian service." A Southern Baptist now on the faculty of the Institute of Religion, Texas Medical Center at Houston, Dr. Southard's book will be a boon to every pastor who feels amateurish and inadequate at counseling. (Broadman Press, 126 pp., \$2.00).

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## Turner Named Head American Baptist Seminary

NASHVILLE (BP)—Maynard P. Turner, Jr., pastor of Mozart Baptist Church, Chicago, has been elected president of American Baptist Theological Seminary here. He assumes his new duties Aug. 5.

American Seminary is jointly operated by the Southern Baptist Convention and the National Baptist Convention, U. S. A., Inc., the largest Negro Baptist group in the nation. The seminary trains Negro ministers and other religious workers.

The post of president has been vacant for about a year following the resignation of Ralph W. Riley to re-enter the pastorate. During that time, Victor T. Glass has served as acting president, the first and only white man to head the seminary.

When Turner becomes president, Glass will resume his former position of academic dean.

Turner has been active in both pastorates and educational work in the National Convention. He is a doctor of theology graduate of Central Baptist Seminary, Kansas City, Kan.; former dean at Western Baptist Seminary, Kansas City, Mo., and Bishop College, Marshall, Tex., and later president of Western Seminary.

## BELOTE LEADS SUMNER REVIVAL



Dr. James D. Belote, missionary to Hong Kong, is the evangelist for the services being held at First Church, Sumner, July 28-August 4.

Bill Anders of Dallas, Texas is leading the singing. Rev. Joseph R. Nannery is the pastor.

## "BUSY HANDS" HAPPY HEART"

Many old people are lonely, unhappy, and constantly meddling in the family affairs of their children—all because they have nothing to do. An article in the August *Home Life* tells how some senior citizens have solved this problem in ways that have proved a blessing to all.

*Home Life* deals directly with the problems today's families must face. It should be ordered with other literature for every family in your church.

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## Catholic Contributes To Protestant Church

GERMANY—Chancellor Konrad Adenauer of West Germany is a Roman Catholic, but the other day he donated 3,000 marks (about \$750.00) to the building fund of a parish for German-speaking Protestants in Teheran, Iran. At present the parish is using the church of an American community in the city.

## Youth Revival At Calvary, Greenville

A Young People's revival, led by the youth of the church but directed toward people of all ages, was recently held at Calvary Church, Greenville. Rev. Bill Latham of Winona, was the evangelist and Hilburn Walker, the song leader. Forty decisions were recorded.

A recent study course on soul winning drew an average nightly attendance of 120.

Dr. E. D. Elliott is the pastor.

## Vicksburg Church Sells Property

The membership of First Church Vicksburg, has voted to accept a \$75,000 bid for purchase of the church fire damaged property at a downtown business location.

The church and church property valued by an insurance assessor at nearly \$200,000—was heavily damaged by fire in November, 1956. A church official estimated fire damage at almost \$125,000.

Sam Peebles, Vicksburg businessman and representative of the Shell Oil Co. entered the \$75,000 bid for purchase of the church property. He said plans for use of the church property were indefinite.

The church was located at a busy downtown intersection—Walnut and Crawford streets.

Meanwhile, a new \$300,000 Baptist church building is being erected at the corner of Cherry and Martha streets.

## Calvary, Pascagoula Ordains Deacon

On a recent Sunday afternoon, Calvary Church, Pascagoula, Rev. M. S. Varnado, pastor, ordained N. P. Fairley to the deaconship.

The presbytery was composed of a number of resident ministers and deacons, with Rev. John Hilburn bringing the ordination sermon, Rev. Montie A. Davis, the charge to the candidate, and Rev. L. G. Camp the charge to the church.

Deacon Fairley is a Lieutenant in the Safety Department of Ingalls Shipbuilding Company, and a native of Green County.

## JOINS STAFF AT ORPHANAGE



W. M. Cuthriell, Jr.

W. M. Cuthriell, Jr. is the new Resident Manager Director of Religious and Recreational Activities at the Baptist Orphanage in Jackson.

A native of Portsmouth, Virginia, he attended the University of Virginia and received the B. D. degree from New Orleans Seminary in 1955.

He assumed his duties at the Orphanage on July 1, coming from a two-year pastorate at Shady Grove in Lincoln County.

His wife is the former Mildred Smith of Brookhaven, where she was church secretary for three years during the pastorate of Rev. Brooks Wester.

W. G. Mize is Superintendent of the Orphanage.

## NEW PASTOR AT HEIDELBERG



Rev. Jamie W. Tynes has accepted the pastorate of the Heidelberg Church, leaving the New Henleyfield Church in Pearl River County, where he was pastor for 2½ years.

Mr. Tynes is a graduate of Mississippi College and the New Orleans Seminary. He and Mrs. Tynes moved into the newly-decorated parsonage the latter part of June.

## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOLS

Church	Assn.	Enrol.	Offering	Coop. Program	Other
Alta Woods — Hinds		372	66.44	66.44	
Bethlehem — Choctaw		26			
Bethsada — Neshoba		72	13.28	13.28	
Brandon — Rankin		209	11.91	11.91	
Calvary — Jones		85	13.20	13.20	
Calvary — Zion		51	6.39	6.39	
Center Terrace — Madison		292	63.85		63.85
Clear Branch — Rankin		96	17.00		17.00
Emmanuel — Jackson		98	10.61		10.61
Everitt's Chapel — Bolivar		58	2.00	2.00	
Fellowship		233	34.65	34.65	
Four Mile Miss.—Jackson		143	12.62	12.63	
Gaston — Prentiss		124	41.16		41.16
Gautier, First — Jackson		139	50.00		50.00
Good Hope — Neshoba		78	10.25	10.25	
Harmony — Copiah		102	22.00		22.00
Harmony — Pontotoc		60	9.75	9.75	
Harmony — Smith		65	11.00		11.00
Hickory Grove—Lauderdale		52	3.23		3.23
Holly Springs — Marshall		229	34.60	34.60	
Liberty — Newton		67	9.99	9.99	
Logtown — Gulf Coast		61	13.63	13.63	
Lorena — Smith		81	8.92	8.92	
Maedonia — Lee		46	13.11	13.11	
Marion — Lauderdale		135	40.28		40.28
Mt. Nebo — Newton		50	10.00	10.00	
Mt. Olive — Carroll		73	6.77	6.77	
New Hope — Covington		104	19.15		19.15
North Winona — Mission — Montgomery		31	7.85	7.85	
Parkway — Lee		125	23.76	23.76	
Peach Creek — Panola		68	11.07	11.07	
Pine Grove — Simpson		61	9.75	9.75	
Pleasant Grove — Clarke		92	7.44	7.44	
Pleasant Grove — Lincoln		99	20.58	20.58	
Pleasant — Smith		40	6.04	6.04	
Pleasant Ridge—Chickasaw		93	13.19	13.19	
Pleasant Ridge—Prentiss		50	5.40	5.40	
Rock Hill — Rankin		35	8.00	8.00	
Shady Grove—George		131	13.42		13.42
Shaw, First — Bolivar		152	29.24	29.24	
Shelby, First — Bolivar		91	10.00		10.00
Silver Creek — Pike		84	14.40	14.40	
Springfield — Scott		82	20.87	20.87	
Sunny Hill — Pike		29	5.81	5.81	
Sunrise — Leake		59	10.50	10.50	
Tate Street — Alcorn		151	27.08	27.08	
Value — Rankin		66	11.48	11.48	
Washington — Greene		46	8.54	8.54	

## Mrs. J. E. Johnson Dies In Richton

Mrs. J. E. Johnson of Richton died on Monday, July 15, after an extended illness. She and Mr. Johnson, who preceded her in death by several years, were faithful members of the Richton Baptist Church. They were the parents of 13 children, 11 of whom survive.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson had the distinction of being the only couple in the United States who were the parents of four graduates of the United States Naval Academy.

## Art Staff Expanded At SS Board

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (BSSB)—Two new artists have been added recently to the staff of the Art Department, Baptist Sunday School Board.

Richard C. Wood, of Providence, Rhode Island, is a graduate of the Rhode Island School of Design, BFA degree.

Bruce Adams, of Pocomoke City, Worcester County, Maryland, is a graduate of the Maryland Institute of Art and the Acme Neon Institute, of Chicago.

## Brotherhood Department

W. R. ROBERTS, Secretary HAROLD GULLY, Associate  
E. L. HOWELL, Royal Ambassador Counselor  
MRS. J. T. TAYLOR and MRS. ELTON GREER, Office Secretaries

A record attendance filled the encampment this last weekend at our annual Brotherhood Royal Ambassador Leadership conference. Ninety men representing 76 Associations in the state attended. The entire encampment was filled with inspiration, information, and fellowship. Jim Sapp and Frank Black from the Brotherhood Commission in Memphis made consistent contributions about the work from the South-wide viewpoint. E. L. Howell and W. R. Roberts furnished information from the State-wide level and such personalities as C. B. Magee from the Gulfcoast Association and W. L. Meadows from First Church, Quitman from the local level. All in all, those of you who missed the encampment this year missed a great blessing. The whole purpose of this article is to make you wish you had made a greater effort to attend.

In the immediate future there are two things facing us. I refer to the National Men's Conference in Oklahoma City and the Annual Associational Clinics. First of all, with regard to National Men's Conference in Oklahoma, we still urge you and Brotherhood members to follow through with our suggestion that you adopt the "SPOC" plan in your organization. If you do not know what I refer to, I am reminding you of the plan we suggested that you send President to Oklahoma City. Our plan is that you pay the expenses of your President to this most important meeting. PROVIDED, he will take his car and fill it with other men from your organization. Already some of our Brotherhoods in the State have adopted this plan. If you are interested and would like additional "selling" power for the plan, contact Harold Gully in the Brotherhood Office and he will be glad to furnish you with this information. Mississippi has a goal of 400 for the meeting. To date

we have a LONG, LONG way to go to reach this goal. Looking forward to you doing your part!

The time of the year is here for plans to be made for an Associational Clinic in every Association in the State. We stand ready to help you all we can in working up the program for this Clinic. We are printing below the suggested program for the Clinic. If you need help from the Brotherhood office in either planning or in carrying out the plans, please call on us.

## ANNUAL ASSOCIATIONAL BROTHERHOOD CLINIC

6:30 p. m. Supper (Optional—If so, prepared and served by host church).

7:00 p. m. Song Service—Led by Assn. BH Song Leader.

7:15 p. m. Scripture and Prayer—Reading and Prayer by Host BH Pres.

7:20 p. m. Purpose of Clinic Stated—Assn. BH Promotion V. Pres.

7:30 p. m. CLINIC PERIOD (This is the main thing):

Presidents' and Pastor's Clinic—Clinic Leader.

Membership V. P.'s & Sec. Treasurers—Clinic Leader.

Program V. P.'s & Song Leaders—Clinic Leader.

Activities V. P.'s & Committee Chairmen—Clinic Leader.

(Except R. A. Committee Chairmen).

Royal Ambassador Counselors & Committeemen—Clinic Leader.

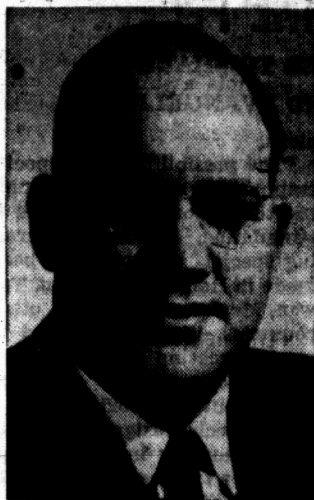
8:25—Re-assembled in Auditorium (one song)—Assn. BH Song Leader.

8:30 p. m. Roll Call of Churches—Assn. BH Attendance V. P. & Sec. Treas.

8:40 p. m. Demonstration or Inspiration or both (Introduction by Assn. Program V. P.)—Main Clinic Leader or Guest Speaker.

9:15 p. m. Adjourn (If supper was not served—perhaps refreshments at this time would be well.)

## 2 Added To Faculty At Southern Seminary



Dr. Duke K. McCall, president of the Southern Seminary, Louisville, Ky., has announced the appointment of Dr. Nolan P. Howington and Miss Elizabeth Hutchens to the Seminary faculty.

Dr. Howington, pastor of the First Church of Little Rock, Ark., since 1953, will be associate professor of preaching.

He was born in Winder, Ga., and grew up at Shelby, N. C. He is a graduate of Gardner-Webb Junior College, Bolling Springs, N. C.; Wake Forest College, Winston-Salem, N. C., and Southern Seminary.

Miss Hutchens, now director



of children's work at the First Baptist Church of Charlotte, N. C., was named assistant professor of elementary education.

A graduate of Wake Forest College and Southern Seminary, she was an educational director for five and a half years, and has been director of children's work for the past four and a half years.

LAKE JUNALUSKA, N. C.—A Southwide Methodist Missionary Conference here was told that at the present rate of population increase 100,000 additional churches will be needed in the United States by 1975.

## Woman's Missionary Union

President—MRS. J. T. LYONS, McComb  
Executive Secretary—MISS EDWINA ROBINSON  
Young People's Secretary—MISS NELL TAYLOR

## SPEAKER BWC HOUSEPARTY



Mrs. Gerald Riddell

Mrs. Gerald Riddell of Colombia, South America, will be one of the featured speakers for the BWC Houseparty at Camp Garaywa, August 23-25. The Riddells were in Laurel, prior to going to Colombia, where Rev. Riddell served as pastor of West Laurel Baptist Church. They

are home for the year of furlough. The BWC Houseparty begins Friday night at 8 o'clock and closes after lunch on Sunday. Miss Sue Tatum, chairman of the State Federation is chairman of the plans. Among the speakers will be Miss Neale Young of Africa, Mrs. Cecil Robertson of Nigeria and Miss Mildred Matthew of Cuba. The state WMU Officers will lead the conferences for the BWC officers and members.

## STATE MISSION WEEK OF PRAYER

Sept. 9-16, 1957

Plans for the observance of the Week of Prayer include a preparation day program on September 9th and the week of individual and united prayer and the closing day program presentation with the offering for State Missions. The goal is \$55,000 and the theme of the program is YE SHALL BE MY WITNESSES. The preparation day program gives emphasis to our personal, individual witness and the closing program gives emphasis to our collective witness.

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## FOREIGN MISSION BOARD REPORTS TO THE PEOPLE

OVERSEAS MISSIONS URGED TO SHARE  
EMPHASES ON PRAYER AND EVANGELISM

At its July meeting the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board adopted recommendations urging all its missionaries to share "to the fullest possible degree" and to encourage all churches and conventions on the mission fields to make 1958 a year of prayer for world evangelism and 1959 a year for special emphasis on evangelism. This action was in keeping with that taken by the Southern Baptist Convention in annual session in Chicago in May.

Dr. Baker James Cauthen, executive secretary, said in his report that it is the desire of the Foreign Mission Board to do everything possible to promote 1958 as a year of prayer both at home and throughout the world. "In particular, we need to pray that God will continue to lead many young people to give their lives for missionary service," he said. "Life dedication will lead the way in our sustained advance in world mis-

sions.

"The possibility of the special emphasis on evangelism extending throughout all the world is stimulating. Already encouraging special efforts have been made in Hong Kong, Japan, Taiwan, Mexico, Nigeria, and other countries. We look forward to ever-increasing emphasis upon strong evangelistic programs throughout the world and special projects designed to strengthen churches in their ministries so as to conserve the fruits of these efforts."

### New Appointees

Five missionaries were appointed at the July meeting of the Board, bringing to 70 the number of appointments made during 1957.

The new missionaries are Ebbe Kilgo (Mrs. Clyde J.) Dotson, Alabama, for Southern Rhodesia; James P. Gilbert, Mississippi, and Dorothy Smith Gilbert, Tennessee, for Ecuador; and Russell R. Morris, Colorado, and Betty Lane Morris, Texas, for the Near East.

### Secretaries Abroad

Four of the Board's secretaries are now traveling overseas.

Dr. J. Winston Crawley, secretary for the Orient, left the States June 26 to visit the work for which he is responsible. Dr. George W. Sadler, who retires at the end of this year from his present position as secretary for Africa, Europe, and the Near East, is now attending to mission business in Africa and Europe.

Rev. Elmer S. West, Jr., secretary for missionary personnel, is visiting countries in Latin America with regard to personnel needs; and Rev. Fon H. Scofield, Jr., associate secretary for audio-visual aids, is on a photographic mission to Southeast Asia for materials to supplement the 1958 mission study on that area.

Dr. Frank K. Means, secretary for Latin America, has just returned from visits to Venezuela, Colombia, Costa Rica, Mexico, and the Bahamas.

**Crawley Visits East Pakistan**  
Dr. Crawley's report, written after visits in India and East Pakistan, dealt largely with the beginnings of Southern Baptist work in Pakistan. He wrote:

"Our first missionaries to Pakistan, Rev. and Mrs. Troy C. Bennett, are now settled at Faridpur. They have had valuable help from several Southern Baptist couples who are in Dacca in connection with various American Government projects. Already they have begun their study of the Bengali language; and Mr. Bennett is carrying heavy responsibilities in all the business routine necessary in setting up a new mission.

We expect to have two more couples joining the Bennetts in East Pakistan in the fall. They will have one full year of language study before assuming work responsibility and then will continue language study as they gradually increase their load in the work. Therefore, we may expect our missionaries to begin a program of specific mission work in East Pakistan from about the beginning of 1959.

"Meanwhile, we face a special need and opportunity in Dacca City, where there are about 15,000 college and university students. We shall want to develop a program of student center evangelism there, making large use of the English language, just as soon as we have available for appointment a person with special interest and experience in student work."

### 16 ADDED IN ANTIOCH MEET

Antioch Church in Lincoln Association completed their summer revival on Friday, July 19th.

There were 16 additions to the church, 12 by baptism.

Rev. G. C. Cox of Hillcrest Church, Jackson, was the evangelist. Rev. James Whittington is the pastor.

### YALE STREET CHURCH REVIVAL

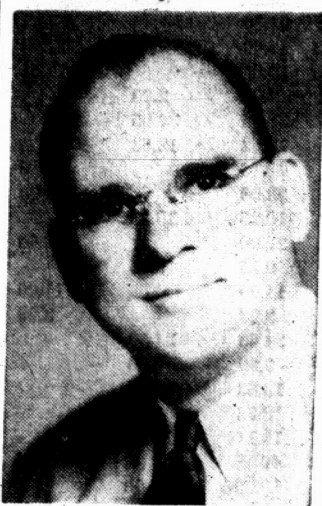
The summer revival will begin at Yale Street Church in Cleveland, Bolivar County, Sunday, Aug. 4, and continue thru Sunday, Aug. 11.

The evangelist will be Rev. L. G. Camp of Friendship Church, of Kreole.

Rev. J. S. Dorroh is the pastor.

## Wastebasket No Place For \$20,000 Letter

### Futrel To Preach In Bethany Revival



Rev. Guy Futrel

Revival services will be held at Bethany Church, Lauderdale County, August 4-11, with services beginning at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Rev. Guy C. Futrel, pastor of Highland Church, Jackson, will be the evangelist.

Rev. J. E. Richardson is the pastor.

### Scott Missionary Hurt In Crash

Word has been received of an accident in Korea which seriously injured Rev. Parkes Marler, Scott county native serving as a missionary.

Rev. Marler was riding in a jeep furnished by the army and was enroute home from an army post service.

His leg was injured in the accident and he will undergo an operation in the near future. He has been under treatment since the latter part of June.

### WORLD MISSIONS YEAR

E. C. KORN

"Every Southern Baptist should share in God's world mission purpose and program."

In God's Word, references to God's work are expressed in world terms. The world was made through his Son (John 1:10). God so loved the world that he gave his only Son through whom we have redemption from sin (John 3:16; Eph. 1:7).

The Lord Jesus commissioned his disciples to go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature (Mark 16:15). In every nation he that feareth God and worketh righteousness is acceptable to God (Acts 10:35).

Jesus Christ is the propitiation for the sins of the world. He is the Saviour of the world (1 John 2:2; 4:14). He purchased unto God with his blood men of every tribe, and tongue, and people, and nation (Revelation 5:9).

Christ the Son of God announced to the twelve his purpose to build his church (Matt. 16:18). His church was purchased with his blood (Acts 20:28; Eph. 5:25). Through his church was to be revealed the manifold wisdom of God, the mystery which had been hidden for ages. That revelation of the eternal missionary purpose of God was the inclusion of the Gentiles as fellow-heirs and fellow-members of the same body, and partakers of his promise in Christ through the gospel (Eph. 3:1-12).

The local expression of this world purpose through the churches of Christ is found in many groups of baptized believers (for example, Acts 8:1; 13:1; 14:25; 15:41; 20:17; Romans 16:4; 5; 1 Cor. 1:2; 11:18; 16:1; 19; Gal. 1:2; Phil. 4:15; Col. 4:15; 1 Thes. 1:1; Rev., chapters 2 and 3).

In modern times, Baptists have realized more fully the significance of the scriptural teachings concerning world missions. Southern Baptists now have approximately eleven hundred foreign missionaries in some thirty-six countries.

Every Southern Baptist should claim a share in God's world mission purpose and program.

"I threw a \$20,000 letter in the waste basket."

This was the statement of a Louisiana pastor when he discovered what the new Age Security Plan of the Relief and Annuity Board could mean to him.

The letter had come with the other mail for the day, but he had felt no personal interest and immediately dropped it in the waste basket after a hurried reading.

### Plan

The next week at an evangelistic conference in a neighboring state where he was speaking he heard the plan explained. According to the speaker, a pastor pays five per cent of his earnings above \$4,000 on which he is paying in his basic plan and the church matches this. The Relief and Annuity Board holds the money, collected monthly along with his regular annuity plan, and pays three per cent interest. All the board requires is one-fourth of one per cent on the amount the church pays for handling.

If payments must be stopped or the pastor wishes to discontinue for any reason, he can withdraw all that he has paid, plus interest, plus ten per cent per year of what the church has paid for every year they have shared in the plan. In ten years all he has paid in plus all the church has paid in is his increased annuity or in cash, as he chooses.

### Pay Both

This pastor immediately asked his church to consider the plan, and to his surprise found that they wanted to pay both shares. Figuring up what this meant to him he found if he kept up this program it would mean at least \$20,000 to him and his family at retirement.

Floyd Chaffin, public relations director for the Relief and Annuity Board, is writing the pastors in the Southern Baptist Convention explaining the plan.

### Retirement

"The Age Security Plan is designed for those not eligible for the basic plan and others who want a larger retirement benefit at age 65." Doctor Chaffin said. "With this a minister can pay on the difference between his salary and the \$4,000 basis on which he is now paying in the Southern Baptist Protection Plan.

"This is more than a savings plan such as one would find with a bank or insurance company, for the church doubles the savings by matching the amount paid by the minister in order to make it possible for him to increase his annuity or, like a savings, it can be withdrawn in cash."

### New Pastor At Holly (Alcorn)

Rev. Harris Counce, Jr., of Scooby has accepted the pastorate of the Holly Church in Alcorn County.

Mr. Counce has served the Wayside Church in Yalobusha County for the past two years, during which time the church has built a three-bedroom parsonage, has increased gifts to the Cooperative Program by nearly 300 per cent, has organized a W. M. U. and a Brotherhood (the only one in the association), and the Sunday School has adopted the six-point record system.

The church has been sponsoring a regular Sunday morning broadcast over Station WNAG, Grenada. Since they have adopted a unified budget, gifts have increased over 50 per cent.

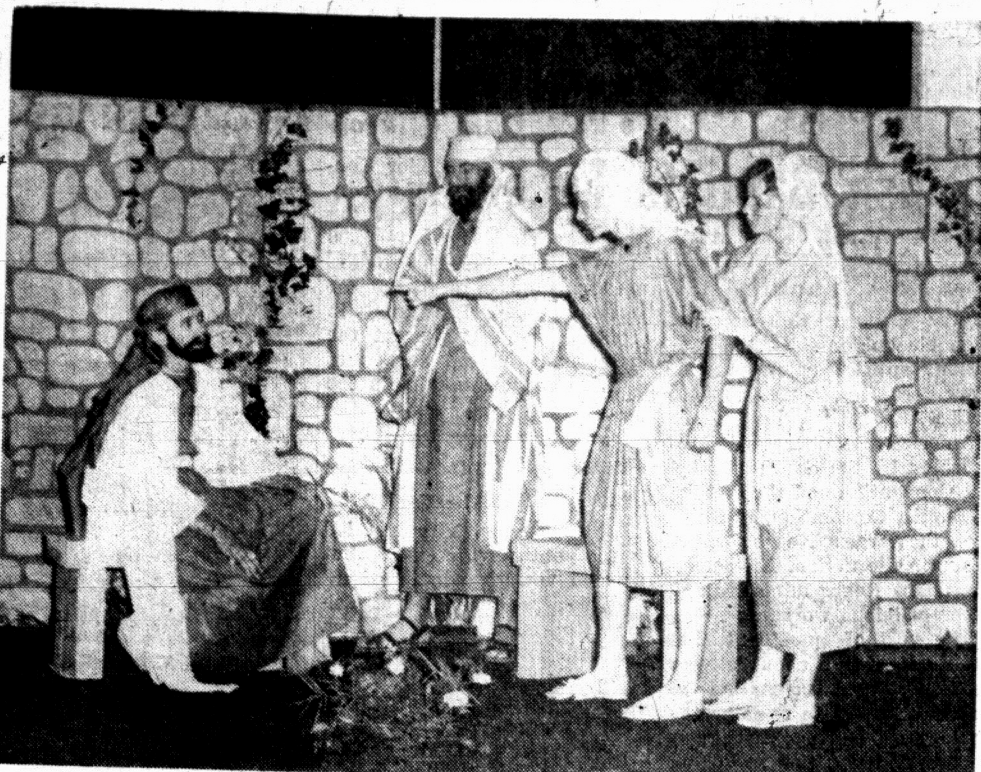
### LEAVELL PREACHES AT PLANTERSVILLE REVIVAL MEETING

The Plantersville Church recently experienced a successful revival under the leadership and preaching of Dr. Landrum P. Leavell, Gulfport.

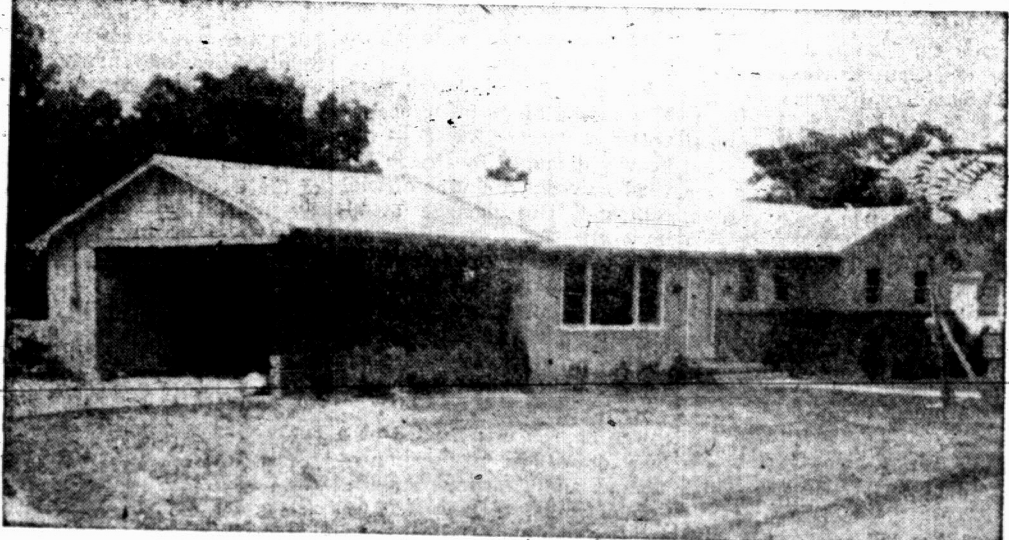
There were three to come upon profession of faith, three by letter, and twelve young people to surrender for full-time service. A number of people rededicated their lives to Christ.

Plans for the organization of a Life Service Band are under way.

The singing was led by the pastor, Rev. Silas Johnson. Mrs. Johnson was pianist.



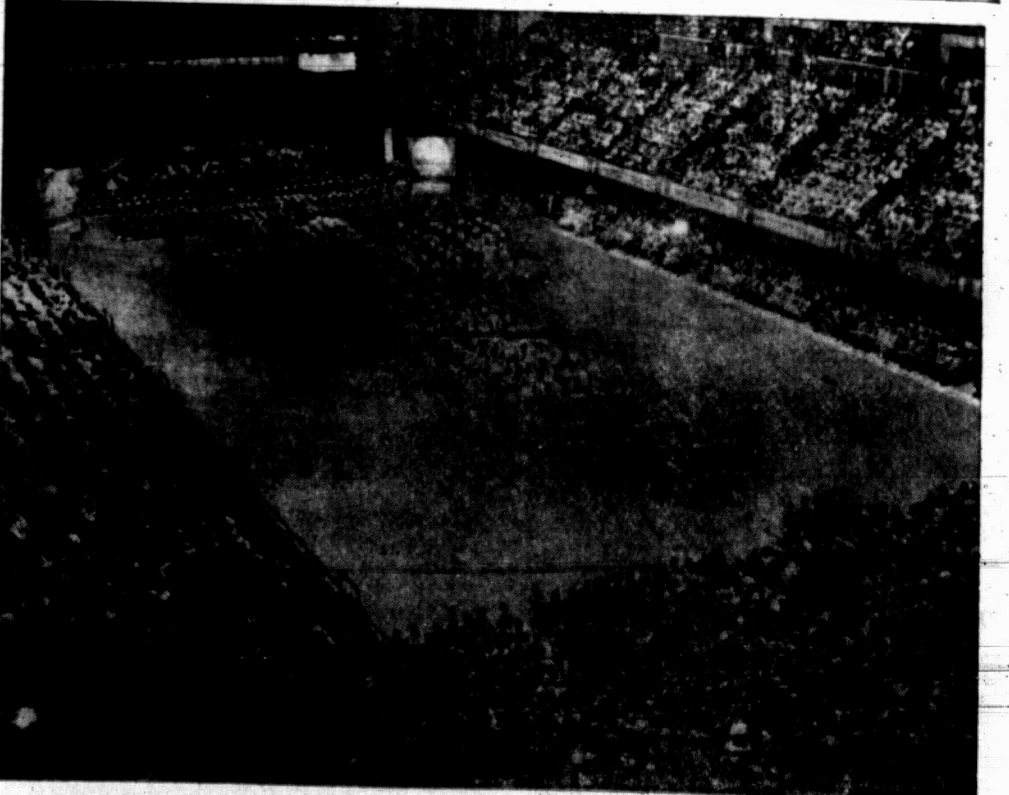
**PILGRIMS OF THE WAY**—A costumed biblical drama was the activities project of Intermediates enrolled in the Vacation Bible School of Ridgecrest Church, Jackson, Rev. Fred Tarpley, pastor. The drama was presented at the worship hour on Sunday evening following Vacation Bible School. In the above picture John Mark is accusing Tarsus played by Larry Ratchiff; Barnabas portrayed by Johnny Upchurch; John Mark, Prentiss Charles; and Mary who is played by Fay Briggs. Director of the "Pilgrims of the Way" was Joseph M. Haynes.—(Photo by Ted Copeland).



**NEW PASTORIUM AT RAYMOND**—The new pastorium of the Raymond Church was dedicated Sunday afternoon, July 28, at 3:30 p. m. Rev. Clyde Gordon, pastor and Mrs. Gordon will be the first to occupy the new house. Building committee members were G. L. Sheffield, chairman, Mrs. W. N. Covington, Miss Lurline Stewart, J. R. Harris, Floyd Bailey, Terry Carter, H. B. Cowart and J. W. Strong. Rev. R. L. Wallace, Rev. Gordon, Mrs. Louis Boteler, Mrs. Roger VanDevender and David Lewis, were those who took part in the dedication service.



**G. A. CORONATION AT FIRST, BILOXI**—Shown above are the two queens, the princess, the three ladies-in-waiting and the seven maidens who participated recently in a candle-light G. A. Coronation service at First Church, Biloxi. Dr. Joe H. Tuten, pastor. The two queens who received their crowns (center) are Miss Sue Ellen Walker, left, and Miss Patsy Pullig. Others in the photo are, back row, left to right: Maidens Sherrie Carpenter, Marcella Jordan, Sheryl Simms; Ladies-in-waiting Suzi Beal, Kaaren Beal; Mrs. William G. Chaplin, Young People's Director; Miss Walker, Miss Pullig; Mrs. M. H. Dees, W. M. U., president; Princess Janice Blackledge; Lady-in-waiting Linda Munn; Maidens Patti Graham, Betty Ann Cox, Elizabeth Ross, Carol Lynn Cox. Center row: Flower girl Lynn Brunson; Crown bearer Charles Burry, James Mitchell. Front row: Candle lighters Gary Heard, Joe Tuten.



**14,000 AT RELIGIOUS PAGEANT**—PHILADELPHIA — High school girls, robed in white, cover their heads with paper lilies as they kneel to form a huge cross at a religious pageant here held during the centennial convention of the National Education Association. Nearly 14,000 delegates and visitors attended the performance by a cast of 1,000 public school children in the city.—(RNS Photo).

### Varnado To Lead Bunker Hill Meet



M. S. (Barney) Varnado, pastor of Calvary Church, Pascagoula, is to be evangelist for the Summer Revival at Bunker Hill Church, Marion Association, where he was pastor 28 years ago. The meeting is scheduled for August 4-9.

The church has been pastorless for some months, but has recently called Rev. John Schollar as pastor. His acceptance is awaited.

Charles Barker, Jr., music-educational director, will direct the music and personal work.

### Stevens To Preach In Lambert Revival



W. W. Stevens, teacher of Bible at Mississippi College, will be the evangelist for the revival to be held at First Church, Lambert, August 16-23.

Dr. Stevens received the B. A. degree from Marshall College, Huntington, West Virginia and the Th. M. and Th. D. degrees from Southern Seminary, Louisville, Kentucky.

Rev. James M. Metts, Jr., a June graduate of Mississippi College and a student at New Orleans Seminary, will lead the singing. Recently ordained, Mr. Metts is associate pastor and minister of music at Centerville.

Services will begin at 10:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. except on Friday, Saturday and Monday when only the evening service will be held. Rev. Joe Mayer is the pastor.

### Averett Preaches In Alabama Meet

Rev. W. M. Averett, pastor of the Richton Church, was the evangelist in a recent revival at Milby, Alabama, which resulted in 24 additions to the church.

Rev. W. Doyle Combs, formerly of Hattiesburg, is pastor at Milby.



# Dr. George W. Sadler Finds Spanish Baptists Encouraged

## Joins BMC Faculty



L. H. Groom

Lester H. Groom, Decatur, Ga., who will teach organ, church music, and public school music in Blue Mountain College for the session soon to begin. He is a graduate of Wheaton College with a B. M. degree, where he majored in organ and composition. He holds the degree of master of music from Northwestern University with a major in organ.

He is an associate of the American Guild of Organists. He has taught organ in the Wheaton Academy and in the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. During the 1956-57 school year he was a teacher of music and choral director in the Decatur, Ga., High School. He is a skilled or-

Dr. George W. Sadler, in Spain on his last official visit as secretary for Africa, Europe, and the Near East for the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board, said he has never known such an epoch of prosperity and unity as he has witnessed among Spanish Baptists on this visit.

The Baptist church of Badalona, a suburb of Barcelona, held a banquet in Dr. Sadler's honor on Saturday night, July 6. Two hundred and eleven people, representing most of the Baptist churches of the area, were present.

Dr. Sadler was with missionaries in Barcelona when they welcomed a newly appointed missionary couple on July 8. The new missionaries, Rev. and Mrs. Russell B. Hilliard, brought the Spain Mission staff to eight. "This is a historic occasion for Spain," Dr. Sadler said. "Never before in the history of our missionary work in Spain have we had more than six missionaries on the field." Two additional appointees for Spain, Rev. and Mrs. Gerald A. McNeely, are scheduled to arrive in early September.

### Meet In September

The Spanish Baptist Union will hold its annual meeting in September at which time four new churches will apply for acceptance in the Union. Missionary Nella Dean (Mrs. Charles W.) Whitten writes: "Nationals and missionaries are encouraged. Religious liberty has not come to Spain, but concessions have been made by the Spanish Government in some areas. Despite limitations the work is on a firm foundation with self-support among the churches as one of the goals."

The Badalona church, which held the formal inauguration of its new building in June after meeting many years in a small, inadequate building with no windows and educational space, is having special stewardships and consecration services this month. The church, of which Rev. Pedro Bonet, president of the Spanish Baptist Union, is pastor, has been self-supporting for a number of years.

## Gainesville Shows Progress Under New Pastor



Rev. Nathan Howard

Rev. Nathan Howard is the new pastor of the Gainesville Church.

Since he began his pastorate there on May 1 a new piano has been bought, the church building has been painted on the inside, and work is being done of the outside of the building.

Under the leadership of Mrs. Howard, a W. M. U. has been organized, with a WMS, Intermediate and Junior G. A., and Sunbeams.

Mr. Howard has begun a Sunday School teacher training program on Wednesday evenings before prayer meeting, during which time Mrs. Howard conducts a music program.

The new pastor preached for the revival held in June. There were five additions for baptism. From Greenville, South Carolina, Mr. Howard was formerly pastor at Pulaski, Miss. He will resume his studies at New Orleans Seminary this fall.

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ganist and has given frequent private recitals.

Mrs. Groom is also a B. M. graduate of Wheaton with a piano major.



**NEW BUILDING AT DREW**—The new First Church at Drew is a Colonial-type building replacing the one destroyed by fire in December, 1955. The building and furnishings cost about \$200,000, with a debt now of \$76,000. Dr. David Grant is pastor. First services were held June 23 in connection with a revival led by Dr. David Q. Byrd, pastor of West Jackson (Tenn.) Church.

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## So You Want To Go To Kittiwake

Well, at this writing there are still a few places left for the third Training Union week, August 12-16. The reason is that this week has been opened up so that Intermediates and Young People may attend (Juniors too provided they are accompanied by a guardian). Cabin facilities only are available but even cabin facilities at Kittiwake are wonderful.

If you plan to send your Training Union Director or some adult worker or if you plan to come yourself, mail your reservation fee of \$2.50 to Mr. Kermit S. King, Kittiwake Baptist Assembly, Pass Christian, Mississippi.

### YOUTH WEEK REPORTS

Rev. James Griffith of New Ireland Church, Newton Association reports "Youth Week is a must."

Mr. Claude Evans, church and Training Union Director of Waltham Church in Zion Association in reporting on Youth Week "I think Youth Week should be held once if not twice each year."

Winona First observed Youth Week March 24-31 and used 103 Young People and Intermediates.

Rev. Mel Craft of Centerville reports "We had five professions of faith and many rededications."

Mrs. G. W. McLelland of Oakland Heights Church, Meridian reports that "Rev. Jerry Odom was licensed to the Gospel Ministry the last Sunday of their Youth Week."

"Our theme for this year was 'Be Ye Also Ready' based on Matthew 24:44. This is one of the big weeks in our church," writes Mrs. George W. Owens of Toxix Church in Pontotoc Association.

Chester Vaughn, Educational Director of First Hattiesburg reports; "Youth Week was very successful."

Mrs. John M. Evans of Sunflower reports "Youth Week meant much to our Young People."

Larry Zigler was the preacher for the Sunday morning service.

Rev. E. D. Crenshaw reports that Summerland observed Youth week.

Mr. F. R. Kolb reports that Hickory Flat observed Youth Week the week of April 7-14.

Rev. James E. Drane of Concord Church in Choctaw Association writes: "Youth Week is a Must!"

Mrs. Harold Womack of Cross Roads Church in Zion Association writes: "Youth Week is giving our young people training for the places of leadership which they will fill in a few years."

"It is one of the most important weeks in the year's calendar of any church... it is a marvelous opportunity for young people to get an insight to full-time Christian Service," writes Ethel McKeithen, Educational Director of Broadmoor, Hinds Assoc.

"We had professions of faith," writes A. C. Thweatt of Blythe Creek, Choctaw Association.

Doyle Cummings of Clarkson Church, Zion Association "It was a wonderful experience."

Zion Hill Church, Mississippi association observed Youth Week April 7-14, writes Mrs. Elizabeth Freeman.

Vicksburg, First, Warren Association observed Youth Week April 7-14 reports Ellis Bryan, Educational Director.

Picayune, First, Pearl River observed Youth Week and Rev. Gifford reports "The Young People participated with eagerness, and gained insight into the work of the church which would not have been otherwise possible."

John D. Speights of Emmanuel, Columbia reports that their church observed Youth Week April 1-6.

North Greenwood, Leflore Association observed Youth Week and Miss Ellen Waldrup writes: "Proved to be a wonderful blessing to church as well as Youth."

Rev. George Edens reports on Youth Week observed at Leesburg Church, Rankin County.

"Ours was a Success..." First, Crystal Springs, Copiah: "... climaxed by picnic and Youth Night..." writes Tom Moak.

Riverside, Clarksdale Association observed Youth Week writes Rev. M. C. Waldrup.

"Our whole church was behind the program..." Rev. Ulvie Pitts, pastor of Mantee Church reports on Youth Week: "A definite part of our church Training Program."

Mrs. Billy Wylie of Evergreen Church, Winston Association reports: "... We had four professions of faith..." Youth Week in our church was a highlight of this year.

First, Corinth observed Youth Week and Karl E. Seepo on reporting had this to say: "... We had an excellent week..."

Mrs. Elizabeth J. Freeman reports on Youth Week held in Zion Hill Church, Mississippi Association: "Our Youth Week was very helpful... to the young people and to the future of our church."

Rev. John W. Cook, Clark Venable Church (Decatur) reports: "A good week..."

"We have never failed to have Youth Week (our church is seven years old)... We have it as a regular part of our church calendar..." writes Dr. W. T. Waring, Central Church, Brookhaven.

Mrs. Elton Barlow of New Prospect Church, Lafayette reports: "We had 19 Young People taking places of leadership..."

The week was a blessing to the church... one profession of faith; several rededications. Youth Week pays off..."

Pleasant Ridge Church, Union County Association observed Youth Week March 25-29.

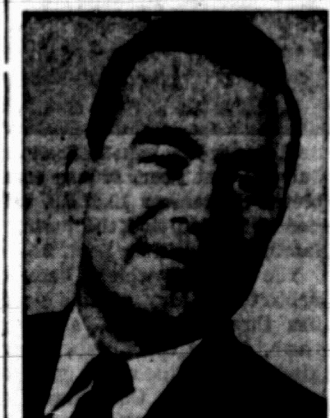
"May people enjoyed it..." one person found Christ as he...

## Orphanage Units Now Merged Into Crestwood Plant

The Baptist Orphanage has maintained on the campus and as a part of the Crestwood Church Sunday School and Training Union a well organized Sunday School and Training Union for years. However, the need for fellowship and contact with other Baptist Sunday School and Training Union members has prompted a change.

The Crestwood Church, located only a few blocks from the Home, has now absorbed the children and adult workers into its Sunday School and Training Union organization in the church plant. The pastor, Rev. Robert W. Martin and the Home Superintendent W. G. Mize, with the assistance of Joe Haigler, Educational Director, and Miss Polly Rowe, have been instrumental in planning and executing the transfer.

Transferring the children and workers to Crestwood meant organizing nine new classes and eight new unions which involved an enrollment of 24 new workers. The people who work at the Home have been most cooperative. The majority have been placed in leadership positions and the rest have enrolled in classes and unions. The people of Crestwood are aware of the opportunity they have to minister to these children as well as those who work there and Crestwood people feel that the people of the Home shall in turn be a blessing.



Marvin Myers

**MUSIC DIRECTOR IN DALLAS** — Marvin Myers, music and education director of the Main Street Church, Grand Saline, Texas for the past two years, recently began his work in the same capacity at the Casa Heights Church, Dallas, Texas. Rev. C. E. Jackson, pastor.

Mr. Myers formerly served as music director of the West Jackson Church while attending Mississippi College, where he received his B. A. degree in 1955.

Saviour... writes Ervin Williams.

Cranfield Church, Adams Association observed Youth Week with Homer Rodriguez serving as Youth Week pastor. Rev. Horace Carpenter, pastor reports a very successful Youth Week.

As soon as your church has observed Youth Week won't you let us know about the results? To you that have not planned for Youth Week, won't you begin planning to observe Youth Week at your earliest convenience?

SUNDAY SCHOOL AND TRAINING UNION ATTENDANCE	
July 28, 1957	
Antioch (Lawrence)	78 35
Antioch (Lowndes)	111 81
Amory, First	425 105
Angulla	71 51
Batesville, First	490 224
Belden	198 105
Bethlehem (Jones)	202 154
Booneville, First	256 69
Brookhaven, First	846 255
Main	720 195
Southway	98 34
Halbert Heights	28 26
Bruce, First	363 118
Byram	280 185
Canton, Center Ter.	272 133
Center Hill (Desoto)	63
Charleston, First	333 112
Clarksdale	469 123
Clarksdale, Oakhurst	583 198
Cleveland, First	429 70
Cleveland, First	420 70
Main	372
Chinese Mission	57
Cleveland, Immanuel	203 121
Collins	195 87
Columbus, First	944 270
Main	827 218
Fairview Chapel	117 52
Corinth, East	214 88
Crystal Springs, First	596 222
Duck Hill	151 74
Fair River (Lincoln)	102 68
Fellowship (Choctaw)	94 69
Forest	452 108
Glenfield (Union Co.)	91 77
Greenwood, North	377 83
Grenada, Emmanuel	244 130
Gulfport, First	982 341
Main	877 303
Bayou View Chapel	105 38
Gulfport, Grace Mem.	270 68
Hattiesburg, First	583 212
Hattiesburg, Main St.	882 398
Hernando	196 74
Holly (Alcorn)	104 89
Houston, First	363 155

Jackson:

Hillcrest	315 165
Southside	264 158
Daniel Mem.	890 337
First	1355 385
Broadmoor	358 186
Crestwood	428 223
Van Winkle	605 282
Ridgecrest	501 218
Parkway	884 429
West Jackson	411 172
Highland	141 94
Calvary	1405 401
Main	1379 376
Mission	26 25
Northside	704 202
Kosciusko, First	640 152
Main	622
Maple Mission	18
Kosciusko (Alcorn)	48 31
Laurel, First	658 173
Laurel, Wildwood	266 91
Lakesville	221 72
Long Beach	314 79
Main	295
DeLisle Mission	19
Longview (Oktoberfest)	82 57
Lucedale	396 155
McComb, South	252 98
Magee, First	441 119

Meridian:

Oakland Heights	270 146
Arrowood Mission	71 44
First	784 182
(South Side)	404 156
(South Side Mission)	27 21
Highland	567 206
Fifteenth Avenue	547 271
Forty-First Avenue	352 107
Key Field	118 54
Emmanuel	84 44
Grandview Chapel	31 31
Eighth Avenue	194 77
Morton, First	348 215
Main	256 115
Mission	92 100
Mt. Pisgah (Choctaw)	80 98
Natchez, First	632 215
Neshoba	97 69
New Prospect (Desoto)	100 120
New Sight (Lincoln)	127 52
Newton, First	399 146
Pascagoula, First	647 227
Main	597 180
McArthur Chapel	47
Petal-Harvey	429 183
Main	371 138
Harvey Mission	58 45
Petal, Temple	201 103
Picayune, First	653 180
Main	628
Mission	25
Pocahontas	31
Prentiss	323 83
Purvis, First	281 79
Ripley, First	310 110
Ruth	76 77
Soso, First	168 104
Starkville, First	694 281
Steen's Creek (Rankin)	234 102
Tishomingo Chapel (Alcorn)	108 101
Tupelo, Calvary	413 203
Tupelo, First	483 114
Tupelo, Hattiesburg	510 179
Union, First	377 148
Wayside (Yalobusha)	55 45
West End (Winston)	98
Winona, First	411 105
Main	384 100
Mission	27 5

July 21, 1957

Calhoun City	343 143
Gulfport, First	683 353
Main	535 304
Bayou View Chapel	98 49

He received the M. R. E. degree from Southwestern Seminary in May of this year.

## Southern Seminary Names New Dean



Dr. W. Peyton Thurman  
New Seminary Dean



Dr. Hugh R. Peterson  
Administrative Dean

Dr. William Peyton Thurman, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Hopkinsville, Ky., since 1947, has been named dean of students at the Southern Seminary, Louisville, Ky. He succeeds Dr. Hugh R. Peterson, who will continue to serve as director of admissions and secretary of the faculties in the newly created position of administrative dean.

Dr. Thurman is a native of Louisville, Ky., and holds the Master of Theology and Doctor of Theology degrees from Southern Seminary. He is also a graduate, trustee, and former faculty member of Georgetown College, Kentucky's only senior Baptist college.

He is a member of the Foreign Mission Board, and a former member of the executive board of the General Association of Baptists in Kentucky.

## IN MEMORY OF M. C. EMMONS

Mack Emmons, as most people knew him, was born near Hickory, Mississippi, February 12, 1874. At the age of 14 he lost the sight of both eyes in an accident. Several years later he and his family moved to Meridian, Mississippi, where he lived for the remainder of his life. Before his blindness he had seen two blind men begging on the streets of Meridian. Their pitiful condition was impressed on him, and he resolved to be self-supporting and also to be of help to others in need.

He attended the Blind Institute in Jackson where he learned to make brooms and mattresses. His youngest brother, Rome Emmons, became a partner with him in Emmons Bros. Mattress Factory in July, 1899. It was begun in a very modest way but became successful, and he was able, with the help of his brother, to branch into other business interests.

Mack Emmons was a remarkable man. Although deprived of his sight, he had many varied talents. He had great wisdom and an unusual memory. Any one that came to him for help or advice, and many did, was not turned away. He was a religious man who loved his Lord and daily had his Bible read to him. He was a member of Fifteenth Avenue Baptist Church from boyhood to his death. When he united with the church, his pastor read this verse: "Seek ye first the Kingdom of God and his righteousness and all these things shall be added unto you." This was his inspiration from then on.

At the age of eighty he lost his life in an automobile accident. The memory of his charitable heart and gracious manhood will live long to bless all who loved him.

His devoted companion, Mrs. Ella Hamilton Emmons.

Laurel, Wildwood... 338 79  
West End (Winston)... 84

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## Louin To Hear Alexandrenko

Rev. Nikolai Alexandrenko of Bryansk, Russia will speak at both the morning and evening services at Louin Church on August 11. A former Russian Communist Army Officer and German prisoner of war, he is now a popular Baptist speaker and Christian witness.

Mr. Alexandrenko, a graduate of Louisiana College, has received the B. D. degree and is now working toward his Th. D. degree from New Orleans Seminary.

Rev. Damon Vaughn, pastor, was evangelist for the recent revival at Louin, during which there were 19 additions to the church, 14 for baptism. Three others professed faith in Christ and will unite with other churches; there were 29 rededications.

The church broke all previous attendance records in Sunday School, Training Union, and revival attendance, both Sunday School and Training Union showing 100 per cent gains over the same time last year.

## Macedonia Church Announces Revival



Rev. John I. Hill, pastor at Terry, will be the evangelist for the revival at Macedonia Church, Lauderdale Association, Aug. 4-9.

The opening Sunday will feature a special all-day homecoming service beginning at 10 o'clock. Services daily at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Rev. R. H. Cherry is pastor. Robert Spencer, also of Terry, will lead the music.



**CORONATION AT PLANTERSVILLE**—Sunday night, May 26, Bobbie Gooch, of the Plantersville Church, was crowned in the rank of Queen, in G. A. work. At the same time, seven other girls were advanced a grade in G. A. work, and participated in the Coronation service.

Later, these seven girls attended Camp Garaywa, and Bobbie went to Queens' Court. In a recent revival, Bobbie and three of the other seven girls, Lynette Partlow, Martha Morgan, and Brenda Walker, surrendered their lives to the call of Christ for full-time kingdom service.

Queen Bobbie Gooch is shown in the above picture at the left. From left to right, the Coronation participants are shown at right: Betsy Johnson, Tonya Philpot, Lynette Partlow, Brenda Walker, Bobbie Gooch, Martha Morgan, Jane Parker, Cathy Johnson. Five-year old Linda Gooch (Bobbie's sister) was Crown Bearer (standing in center). The girls' G. A. leader is Mrs. Harold Polk. Rev. Silas Johnson is pastor.

## Bible Conference Programs Announced

Speakers and programs for Bible conference weeks at Glorieta and Ridgecrest have been announced by Clifton J. Allen, editorial secretary of the Baptist Sunday School Board.

Principal speakers at Glorieta August 8-14: J. Howard Williams, president, Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort-Worth, Texas, preacher for the week; J. Leo Green, professor of Old Testament, Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary, Wake Forest, N. C., Bible teacher on expositions; and Penrose St. Amant, professor of church history, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, noon speaker on doctrine of the church.

At Ridgecrest August 22-28, Syndor L. Stealey, president, Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary, Wake Forest, N. C., will be the preacher; Kyle M. Yates, Bible teacher on expositions; and Charles A. Trentham, noon speaker on doctrine of the church.

"The Bible Points the Way" will be the theme for both assemblies. The plan of the program is four periods of Bible study and preaching daily.

## Joins Staff At Calvary, Waynesboro



**Larry Waldrup** Calvary Church, Waynesboro, has secured Larry Waldrup as Minister of Music. He assumed the duties July 21 and will serve the church part time.

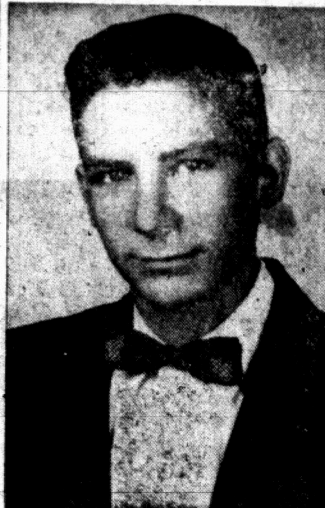
Larry Waldrup is a native of Quitman and comes from First Church, Quitman. He is a senior at Mississippi College working on a degree in Sacred Music. The pastor of Calvary Church is Rev. Charles Holifield.

## Carey College To Stage Round-up

William Carey College, Hattiesburg, will stage a Round-up for prospective students on Tuesday afternoon, August 6. Activities of the afternoon and evening will include a softball game on the Carey diamond, a picnic supper with entertainment, a vesper service, and a performance of the play, The Glass Menagerie. Registration will be held from 3:00 until 4:00 p. m.

Dr. George Jenkins is the general chairman for the Round-up. He will be assisted by the following committees. Invitation and Publicity: Dr. Clarice Robinson, chairman, Mrs. Ollie Yates, Mrs. Dan Holcomb, and Mrs. Ruth Duncan; Picnic Supper: Mrs. Maude Hedrick, chairman, and Mrs. Pearl McKinnon; Soft Ball Game: Mr. John O'Keefe, chairman, Mr. Wiley Moody, and student assistants; Campus Clean-Up: Mr. J. D. Sims and Dr. Joseph Ernest, co-chairmen, and students; Play: Mr. Keith Slothower; Entertainment at Supper: Mr. Donald Winters; Vespers: Dr. B. F.

## Is Licensed



E. K. Sadler

**Ernest Kirk Sadler** was licensed to the gospel ministry, Sunday, July 21, by the Ogden Church, Yazoo County. He plans to enroll at Miss. College in September.

Ernest is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arden Sadler of Bentonla.

## A. B. Pierce Accepts Parkview, Greenville

Rev. A. B. Pierce has accepted the pastorate of the Parkview Church Greenville. He and Mrs. Pierce plan to move to Greenville about August 15.

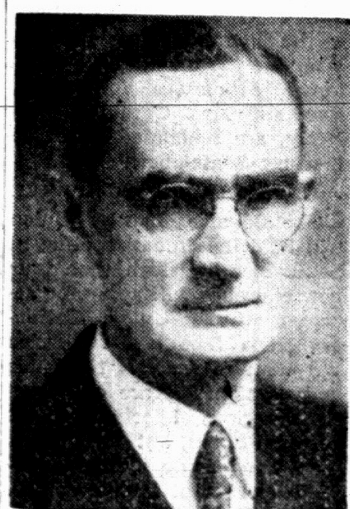
A native Mississippian, Mr. Pierce graduated from Mississippi College and Southern Seminary. He has served churches in Kentucky, Arkansas, Louisiana, Arizona, and Mississippi. Those in this state include West Laurel, Crystal Springs, New Albany, Kosciusko, Crestwood, Jackson, and Collins. He was the first Executive Secretary-Treasurer of the Mississippi Baptist Foundation. Churches he has served have experienced development in missions, membership growth, and expansion in building facilities.

Parkview Church, which is showing growth in all phases of its work, completed and occupied a new unit of the recently planned educational building on May 1. Additional units are to be added as growth demands. The over-all plan also provides for a new auditorium.



Rev. A. B. Pierce

## Concord (Yazoo) Enters New Auditorium



Dr. Webb Brame

Sunday, August 4, Concord church will move into their newly constructed auditorium. At the 11:00 morning service, Dr. Webb Brame of Yazoo City will bring the message, which will be the last service held in the present auditorium. After this morning service dinner will be served on the grounds by the ladies of the church. Sunday afternoon at 2:00 the first service



Rev. J. B. Smith

will be held in the new auditorium, and the cornerstone will be laid.

Sunday evening at the 8:00 o'clock service, the summer revival will begin with Rev. J. B. Smith, pastor, Ackerman church and father of the pastor Rev. James E. Smith, being the evangelist for the week.

Services during the week will be at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

## CLARA HONORS PASTOR GILBERT

On Sunday evening, July 21, Clara Church entertained with a tea, honoring Rev. and Mrs. James Gilbert. Mr. Gilbert has been pastor at Clara for the past five years; he and Mrs. Gilbert have recently been appointed by the Foreign Mission Board as missionaries to Ecuador. The Gilberts have two young daughters and a two-month-old son.

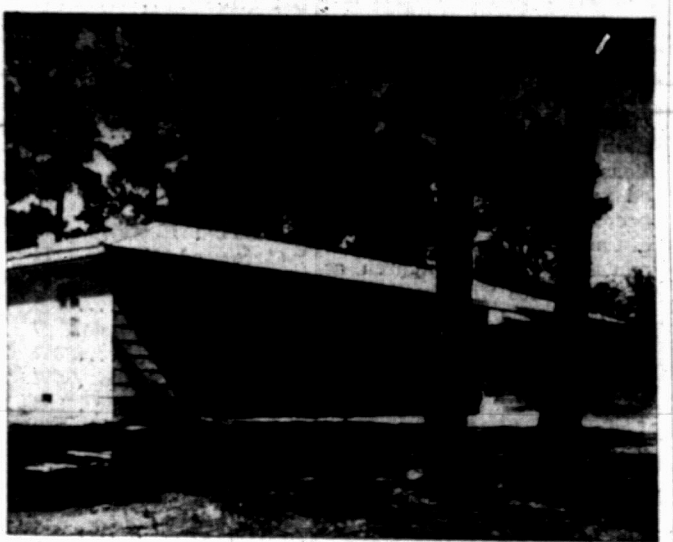
Mrs. Aubrey Jones presented white corsages to Mrs. Gilbert and her daughters and a white boutonniere to Mr. Gilbert, saying that the flowers were a symbol of a small portion of the love the church had for their minister and his family.

After hymn-singing led by Bennie Caves, Lawrence Jones gave a brief history of the church under Mr. Gilbert's pastorate. Since his coming to Clara in 1952 a brick church has been constructed. After presenting a "monetary remembrance" to the Gilberts from the church members, Mr. Jones announced that henceforth the Church's Recreation Hall will be known as Gilbert Hall in honor of Brother Gilbert; a small framed document so stating hangs in the Hall.

Guests were served refreshments in Gilbert Hall, which had been decorated with fresh flowers for the occasion. Mrs. Aubrey Jones poured tea. Mrs. Bennie Caves, Mrs. Edith Davis, and others were hostesses.

Mrs. T. H. Trigg presided over the Guest and Memory Book, which contains pictures of the old and the new Baptist churches at Clara. Four pictures taken during the evening of the tea are to be placed in the book: pictures of the deacons; the Building and Budget Committee; the Woman's Missionary Society; and the Gilbert family.

## NEW HOPE DEDICATES PASTORIUM



New Hope Church in Covington County, organized in 1833, dedicated and burned the mortgage on their new pastorium on June 16. Rev. Ken Sumrall, pastor since December, 1955, preached the morning message on that date. After dinner, served at the church, the afternoon service featured as speakers Hon. Ralph Herrin, State Representative, and Rev. Paul Moore, pastor of Brooklyn Church.

The church began raising funds for the pastorium in February, 1956, and ground was

broken for its construction in July of that year. It was completed September 15, 1956, valued at \$12,000, and the pastor's family moved in on Sept. 28.

The house, which became debt-free in May of this year, has three bedrooms, a living room, dining room, den, study, kitchen, hall, bath, and garage. The Building Committee included Ralph Aultman, chairman; Jim Wallace, treasurer; Brack Aultman, Clifford Aultman, Frank Geiger, Wilmer Lowrey, Harold Wallace, and John Watts.

## Paul Daniel Irby Is Ordained

On Sunday afternoon, July 28, Paul Daniel Irby was ordained to the Gospel ministry by the State Line Church. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Irby, long time residents of State Line, where his father has served as deacon for more than twenty years.

Paul was the fourth preacher boy called from the State Line Baptist Church in recent years.

He was ordained at the request of the Eret Church in Wayne County, of which church he has recently become pastor. The church is experiencing real growth, having dedicated its new building on Sunday, July 21 and planning to enter this building for the revival services beginning July 28.

Paul has attended Clarke College, Mississippi College, and received his B. S. degree from William Carey College in 1956. He is now a student of the New Orleans Seminary.

His brother, Rev. David J. Irby, pastor of the Baptist Church of Crosby, delivered the ordination message.

Revival services for the Eret Church are underway this week. The church enters its new building for these services and Paul will be assisted by his brother David as guest speaker.

## Capitol Writer On Glorieta Program

GLORIETA, N. M. (BP)—Glenn D. Everett, Washington correspondent for Religious News Service, will be a featured speaker here Aug. 8-14 at a conference on obscene literature.

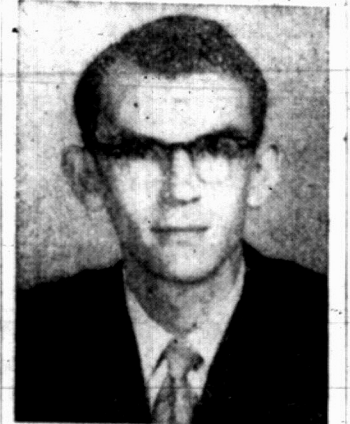
The conference is being held by the Christian Life Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention at the Convention's summer assembly grounds here.

"Everett has made a long and very thorough study of this traffic in salacious literature," A. C. Miller, Nashville, executive secretary of the Christian Life Commission, reported.

Other special program participants are O. K. Armstrong, former Congressman from Missouri now a writer for Reader's Digest; James P. Wesberry, pastor of Morningside Baptist Church, Atlanta, who has been chairman of the Georgia Literature Commission, and Lewis A. Myers, Albuquerque, editor of the Baptist New Mexican.

ing for these services and Paul will be assisted by his brother David as guest speaker.

## APPOINTED TO N. O. FACULTY



Thomas L. Tedford, a native Arkansan and former faculty member of Georgetown College (Ky.), has been appointed instructor in speech in the school of theology of New Orleans Seminary, according to seminary president, Dr. Roland Q. Leavell.

Following graduation from Ouachita College (Ark.) in 1951, Tedford served as BSU director and director of public relations.

An ordained minister, he holds the M. A. degree in speech from Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, and has completed all requirements for the Ph.D. degree except the dissertation.

## Oak Grove (Smith) To Hear Kennedy

Dr. Hardee Kennedy, Professor of Old Testament at the New Orleans Seminary, will be the evangelist for the revival at Oak Grove Church in Smith County beginning August 4. Curtis Hester, Minister of Music at First Church, Magee, will direct the music. Rev. L. R. Massey is the pastor.

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — The Methodist Publishing House building, known at its 810 Broadway address here by Methodists around the world for 53 years, has been sold to the University of Tennessee.

AUSTIN, Tex. — Gov. Price Daniel designated Sunday, July 28, as a day of special prayer for victims of recent disasters and in thanksgiving for drouth-breaking rains.

## Off The Record

**YOUNG STENOGRAPHER** to boss: "Well, if you can't give me a raise, how about the same pay but oftener?" — Chicago Tribune.

**BROOKLYN DEPARTMENT STORE** made a big fuss over its millionth customer recently. The store president made her a speech, she was given gifts and had her picture taken. After the ceremonies, the customer continued to her original destination — the Complaint Department — New York Sunday News.

**A SMALL BOY** was brought to a clinic for an examination by his mother, an extremely talkative woman. During the preliminary quiz period, the doctor noticed that the boy didn't seem to be paying much attention to the questions. "Do you have trouble hearing?" he asked.

"No," the boy replied, "I have trouble listening." — Chicago Daily News.

**REAL-ESTATE AD** with a Texas touch from the Dallas Morning News: "FOR SALE. Small ranch — 11,000 acres."

**WIFE TO HUSBAND:** "Well, you certainly made a fool of yourself — I can only hope that no one at the party realized you were sober." — The Saturday Review.

**IN JOHN GOULD'S** town they like to tell about the time the minister asked all in the congregation to rise who wanted to go to heaven. All but one man rose. Then the minister asked those to stand who wanted to go to hell. Nobody rose. The puzzled parson stared down at the non-cooperator and asked where he wanted to go. "Nowhere," said this stalwart son of Maine. "I like it here." — New York Herald Tribune.

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Joan Stockstill

Miss Joan Stockstill, a former music teacher in the Mississippi public schools, has been

## Georgetown College Selects Dean

GEORGETOWN, Ky. (BP)—Henson Harris, for the past three years dean of Wayland College, Plainview, Tex., has been appointed academic dean of Georgetown College here.

appointed tutor in organ at New Orleans Seminary, according to Dr. Roland Q. Leavell, Seminary president.

A graduate of Mississippi College, Clinton, Miss. Stockstill holds the master of religious education and the master of sacred music degrees from New Orleans Seminary.

She formerly taught piano in the Sunflower County public schools and also served as BSU director at Jones County Junior College, Ellisville, and minister of music at the Hampton Baptist Church, Hampton, Va.



Two students from Mississippi are among the 26 who are candidates for degrees and awards at the summer commencement program July 26 at New Orleans Seminary, according to Dr. Roland Q. Leavell, Seminary president.

Dr. Ralph A. Phelps, Jr., president of Ouachita Baptist College, Arkadelphia, Ark., will be the commencement speaker. Those from Mississippi graduating are:

Bachelor of divinity—Jerome Rogers, Gloster. Diploma in religious education—Mrs. Josie Lee Wells, Pittsboro.